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"RESPONSIBILITIES THAT LIE UPON ME"

MR. NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN REPLIES TO HIS MANY CRITICS

"Neither Defiance Nor Deference": Paris Echoes Minister's Views

DEMOCRACIES MUST INEVITABLY RESIST ALL ATTEMPTS AT DOMINATION

LONDON, Jan. 29 (REUTERS).
"WITHOUT THE IMPROVEMENT IN ANGLO-ITALIAN RELATIONS, I COULD NEVER HAVE OBTAINED SIGNOR MUSSOLINI'S CO-OPERATION LAST SEPTEMBER, AND WITHOUT HIS CO-OPERATION I DON'T BELIEVE PEACE COULD HAVE BEEN SAVED," SAID MR. NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN, THE PRIME MINISTER, SPEAKING AT THE JEWELLERS' ASSOCIATION DINNER LAST NIGHT AT BIRMINGHAM.

"A great deal of criticism has been directed at the Munich Agreement, against the action I took in attempting, by personal contact, to obtain a peaceful solution of the problem which nearly involved the world in a catastrophe of the first magnitude.

"The criticism comes from various quarters but there is a feature common to all the critics. None of them has the responsibility that lies upon me; none of them has that full knowledge of all circumstances that is open only to His Majesty's Government.

Nothing To Regret For Step Taken

MORE RESOLUTE ATTITUDE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29 (Reuters).
—Mr. Chamberlain's speech is interpreted here as a welcome revelation of a more resolute attitude against further international blackmail. Circles close to the Government opine that come what may Mr. Chamberlain will remain an optimist to the last. The warmth of his reference to Mussolini so soon after Duce's acclamation of the fall of Barcelona as a victory for Fascism has caused some surprise.

Many wish they could share the Prime Minister's optimism especially in view of the impending Fascist triumph in Spain with its threat to Britain and France in the Mediterranean and the prospect of France with totalitarian pressure exerted on three fronts.

FOR MYSELF, LOOKING BACK

"I see nothing to regret nor any reason to suppose that another course would have been preferable. War to-day is so terrible in its effects on those who take part, it brings so much loss and suffering even to those who stand aside and watch the combat; from the ringside, that it ought never be allowed to begin unless every practicable honourable step has been taken to prevent it.

MUNICH AGREEMENT
"That has been the view of this Government from the beginning and the Munich Agreement is the only incident in its constant unwavering policy of peace.

"I go further and say that the preservation of peace last September was only made possible by the events which preceded it, by the exchange of letters between Signor Mussolini and myself in the summer of 1937 and by the conclusion of the Anglo-Italian Agreement in February, 1938.

"Without the improvement in the relations between this country and Italy I could never have obtained Signor Mussolini's co-operation last September and without his co-operation, I don't believe peace could have been saved."

DETERMINED OBSTRUCTION

The Prime Minister went on to say that his and Lord Halifax's visit to Rome had been criticised by people apparently determined to obstruct every attempt to carry out the wishes of the Anglo-Italian people to live on good terms of friendship and to understand and settle all differences not by force. That was true not only of Britain and Italy but also of France and Germany.

READY TO TALK

"Let us cultivate a friendship between the peoples," said Mr. Chamberlain. "That can be done by individuals, by traders as well as by the most official representatives. Let us make it clear to them that we do not regard them as (Continued on Page 9)



Mr. Neville Chamberlain: His tone was courteous but firm.

DIRECT QUESTION FOR HITLER

LONDON, Jan. 29 (Reuters).
Once again Mr. Chamberlain has asked for "a sign." London press commentators, in addition to underlining the former passages in the Prime Minister's speech, lay emphasis on his remark that our attitude was defined beyond misunderstanding and it was now time for others to make their contribution. This is regarded as a direct question for Hitler to reply to on Monday.

The "Sunday Times" says the Prime Minister reaffirmed the Anglo-German Munich declaration. Let us hope Hitler will remain no less loyal to it because along that road lies the greatness and happiness of Europe and along no other.

The "Observer," in the course of a leader, remarks that Sudetenland is not the same thing as French or British sovereign territory. It is worse than idle on our side to disguise the anxiety with which the outcome is awaited or, on the other side, to mistake the cold rigid front that awaits the aggressor.

"TO WARD OFF ALARMISM"

ROME, Jan. 29 (Reuters).—Commenting on Sir Samuel Hoare's speech on Jan. 26, Signor Gayda, writing in the "Giornale d'Italia," says the "British Government is trying to ward off alarmism by the assertion that the exceptional armed strength of her Empire is intended to discourage any escapade on the part of third parties and calm any anxiety in British minds.

"More and more speeches are being made by British Ministers in this sense. It remains to be seen whether in the long run this ostentatious display of force would not encourage adventures of war parties who will believe themselves more than even safe to act."

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SERIES OF ROBBERIES REPORTED IN KOWLOON

Village Woman Relieved Of Big Sum Of Money

TWO ARMED ROBBERIES AND ONE ARMED HIGHWAY ROBBERY WERE REPORTED FROM KOWLOON YESTERDAY. THE MARAUDERS IN EACH CASE DISPLAYING MUCH AUDACITY.

In Sheung Shui, a woman named Lu Yuk-sim, 48, residing with her daughter at an unnumbered hut in the village, was awakened about 3 a.m. on Sunday morning when she saw two men standing by her bed, one of whom flashed a torch on her. The other was holding a revolver in his right hand, which he pointed at her. He struck her a blow on the mouth with his free hand and told her to be silent.

Lu attempted to get out of bed, but she was pushed back and covered with a quilt while the house was thoroughly ransacked and \$810 in Hongkong currency and \$1,600 in Chinese currency taken.

The robbers left only after they had taken from the woman the earrings she was wearing and quite some time after Chan Pui-ying, 21-year-old daughter of Lu, had already blown a police whistle and called for help.

Chan was struck by one of the party of five robbers, suffering a slight wound on the left side of her head.

TIED TO POST
The other armed robbery occurred at 154, Apiti Street, first floor, where at 2.30 p.m. Wu Kam, a constable, was sitting in the temp with

WATCHMEN ATTACKED

The victims of the highway robbery, which took place about 2 p.m., were three private watchmen, all residing at the Sai Nam Petrol store-house, Chiu Kang Wan, Hang Hau Village, who were attacked by six or seven men, one armed with a knife and the others with wooden poles.

BIRTHDAY OF PRESIDENT



President Franklin D. Roosevelt to-day celebrates his 57th birthday. He was elected as a Democrat to the Presidency in November, 1932, defeating Mr. Hoover. He was re-elected in the Presidential campaign in 1936.

CAROLE LOMBARD

Miss Carole Lombard, American screen actress, passed through Hongkong during the week-end incognito.

DEATH OF DR. J. S. GUZDAR

Well-known Colony Sportsman

The death occurred at the Queen Mary Hospital yesterday morning of Dr. Jamshed Sorad Guzdar, M.B., B.S., Assistant to the Professor of Pathology at the University of Hongkong since 1932. Born in Hankow and educated in Shanghai, the late Dr. Guzdar studied medicine at the Hongkong University where he graduated. He had a remarkable academic career and also distinguished himself as an all-round athlete.

The deceased is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Ellen Leonard, to whom much sympathy will be extended.

"TO SETTLE AFFAIRS"

Jews May Return To Germany

BERLIN, Jan. 29 (Reuters).—All Jews who have been in "No Man's Land" on the German-Polish frontier since the end of November will be allowed to return to Germany to settle their affairs. A statement says that this decision was reached following negotiations between both countries. The Jews will be allowed to take certain movable articles out of the country with them. The value of bank balances and landed property will probably be paid into a special communal account. There will be further negotiations regarding the transfer of capital to shareholders.

DEVELOPMENT OF YUNNAN

CHUNGKING, Jan. 29 (Reuters).—Mr. Hu Wen-hu, wealthy Chinese Singapore businessman, has organized a \$50,000,000 Yunnan border industrial organization. Authorization has been received from Gen. Lung Yen, Governor of Yunnan Province, to designate Szemao as a "model" district. The work of the new corporation will be divided into mining and land reclamation departments.

The Central Military Affairs Commission has ordered the Chinese military commanders to prohibit the people from selling copper and other kinds of minerals to Japan. Heavy punishment will be imposed on delinquents and the amount discovered will be confiscated.

BACKBONE OF THE ARMY

Chinese Subalterns Hear Address

(From Our Own Correspondent)
CHUNGKING, Jan. 29.—The fortunes of war are in the hands of subalterns, who must have military talents and political knowledge, and if they stick to the Three People's Principles and have the welfare of the masses in mind, they can go through any difficulties on the battle field.

This was the keynote of recent address by Gen. Yu Han-mou, head of the 4th Route Army and Deputy Commander-in-Chief of the 4th War Zone, to officers in a special training class somewhere behind the lines.

"Junior commissioned officers are the backbone of the army," declared Gen. Yu. "They must have ability before they can lead the men. In spite of the present difficulties, we must strike a new path towards glory."

COMMUNIQUE ISSUED

About 1,000 Japanese infantrymen, 300 cavalymen and two batteries arrived at Cholotsum in the extreme west of Payuan district on January 25, according to a communique issued by the Fourth Route Army.

About forty motor boats and steam launches cruised around Hohow, opposite Samshui. The motor boats cruised as far as Mukmin, also on the West River. There is no change in the situation at Tungkwon on the East River and the Tengshing-Chungfa sector, northeast of Canton.

AIR RESERVE TRAINING

URGENT APPEAL FOR LEAVE

LONDON, Jan. 29 (Reuters).—The Air Council is making an urgent appeal to employers to release pilots belonging to the Royal Air Force Reserve and Volunteer Reserve for periods up to six months.

This is to enable pilots to undergo a term of strenuous training with the R.A.F. with the object of increasing, as soon as possible, the number of pilots trained to the operational standard of modern types of service aircraft.

This extended training of training reserve pilots is described as constituting a highly important contribution to air defence.

SHAO LI-TZE SAFE

The "Hongkong Daily Press" is officially informed that the person kidnapped by Japanese in Shanghai on Friday was not Mr. Shao Lih-tze, former director of the Central Publicity Board, as reported.

Mr. Shao is still in Chungking, where he gave a speech on Saturday at the anniversary observance of the Shanghai Incident.

ONE WAY OF DOING IT

TOKYO, Jan. 29 (Reuters).—The Ministry of Finance is seeking legal powers to take a census of all gold articles preparatory to compelling owners to sell to the Government in case of necessity.

U.S. PLANES FOR FRANCE

"Shocking Situation," Says Senator

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29 (Reuters).—The Government's sanction of the sale of military planes to France was strongly criticised at a session of the Senate Military Affairs Committee.

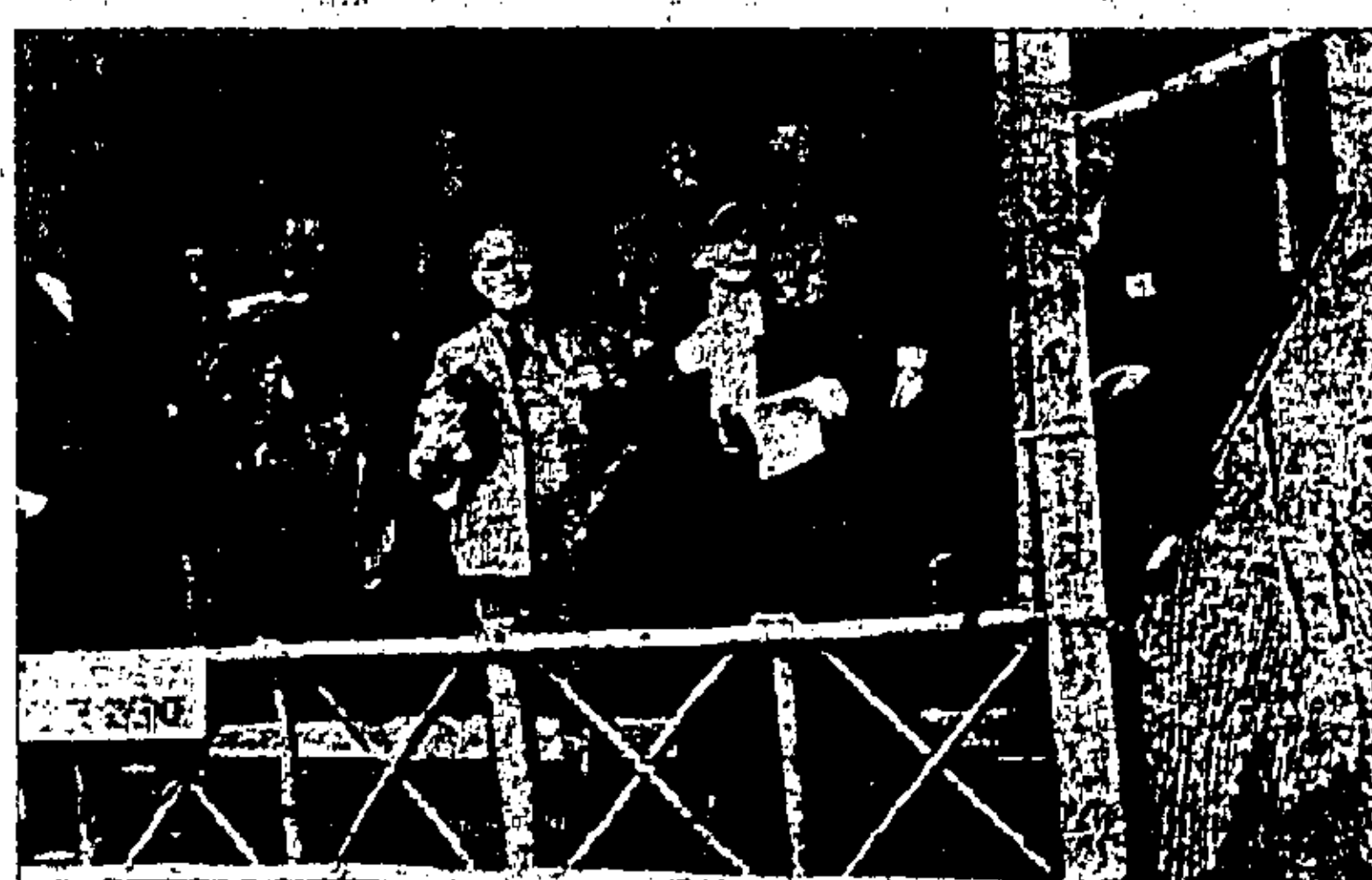
Senator Gerald Nye declared that the decision was "equivalent to military alliance with France." Senator Clark said, "I think it is a shocking situation to find the United States Government preparing to permit the sale of planes of the latest development to foreign countries before they are available to this Government."

KING WATCHES AIR RAID

LONDON, Jan. 29 (Reuters).—The King and Queen with the two Princesses, watched a mock air raid over Sandringham where the Estate workers participated in a realistic demonstration in which mustard gas bombs, represented by smoke bombs, were used. Men and women of the Royal family took no part in the practice and did not wear gas masks.

It was by the King's orders that the Estate staff and fire brigade had been thoroughly instructed in A.R.P. work.

GOVERNOR AT THE KWANTI RACES



PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN at the Fanling Race meeting, recently. The group includes His Excellency the Governor and Lady Northcote, Sir Atholl MacGregor, Mr. Justice R.E. Lindsell and Mr. Garrod Trevorton, Private Secretary to His Excellency. (Photo by Leica).

RECOVERY IS COMPLETE

WU PEI-FU AND JAPANESE CLAIMS

Issues Non-committal Statement

PEIPING, Jan. 29 (Reuters).—Marshal Wu Pei-fu has issued nothing yet to confirm the Japanese claims that he has agreed to be head of the co-called national salvation peace move. It is known that he has been under strong Japanese pressure since the failure of Wang Ching-wei's peace move.

Replying to invitations to head such a movement Wu Pei-fu issued a statement which is regarded as a masterpiece in composition.

In the statement he writes generally of the history and ethics of the struggle and deplores the hostilities, adding, "If the hostilities do not end in time I fear that one day a general conflagration will develop which will wipe out China and do no good to Japan."

This is regarded in diplomatic circles as a non-committal statement made in extremely difficult circumstances. It is considered significant that Wu Pei-fu criticizes neither the Chungking regime nor Chiang Kai-shek with whom he is known to have been in contact fairly recently.

NEW SITUATION IN FRANCE

PARIS, Jan. 29 (Reuters).—"With tons of gold returning to France the country could to-morrow have the means of buying five thousand ultra-modern aeroplanes abroad," declared M. Reynaud, Finance Minister, broadcasting the result of his financial policy.

Drawing a flourishing picture of the new situation in France, M. Reynaud said, "recovery is complete. Through your discipline the face of France has changed in the world. We can say to-day that while France despises no one, she fears no one, and if all remain calm and realize how determined we are, I am sure they will all realize that there is something better to do than make war."

The France which has recovered to-day can resist anyone but she is ready to-morrow to collaborate with every one."

JAPANESE PLANE SHOT DOWN

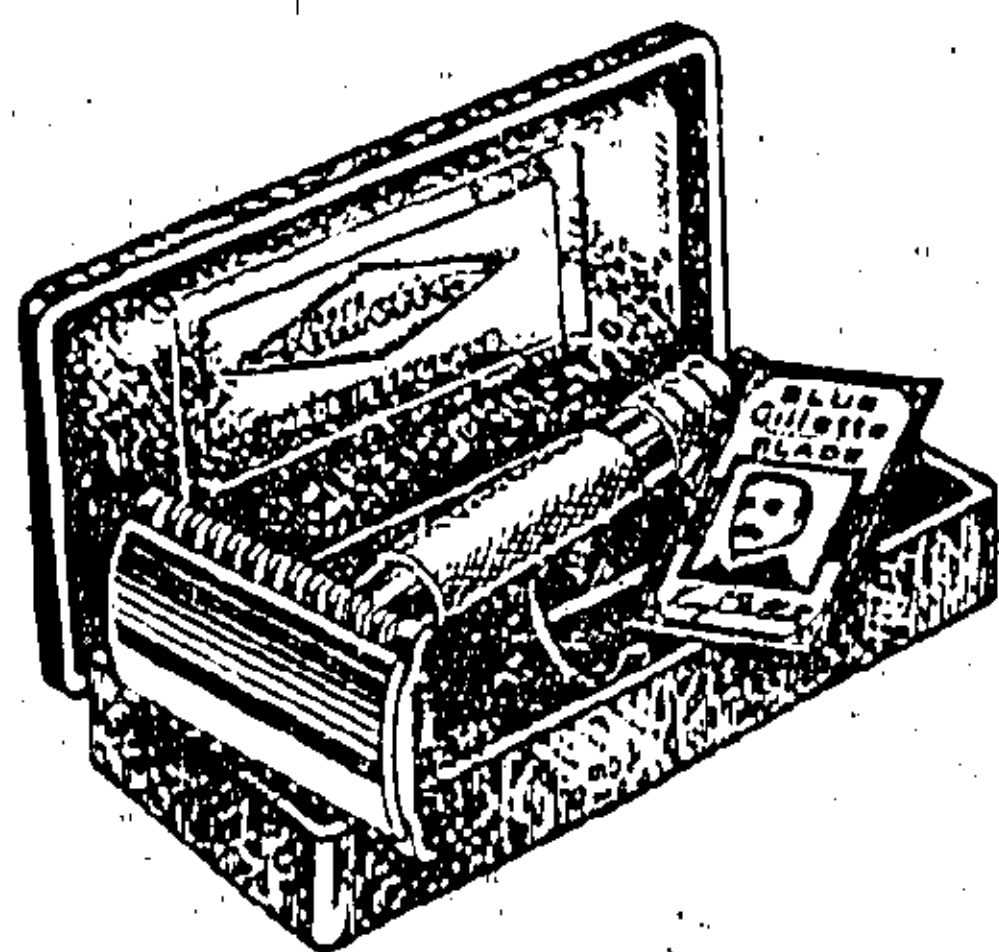
TUNGKWAN, Jan. 29 (Central).—One of seven Japanese bombers raiding Shanchow, on the Honan-Shansi border opposite Pinglu, was shot down by a Chinese soldier with his rifle yesterday. The machine crashed in flames in the vicinity of Pinglu. The two Japanese airmen were captured alive. The raiders rained a large number of bombs inside Shanchow.

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| Gamagori Hotel | Dobu Hotel | |
| GIRU | Hotel New Onaka | |
| Nagaragawa Hotel | Onaka Hotel | |
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| KANSAI | Takarazuka Hotel | |
| * Mampai Hotel | TOKYO | |
| * Makina Hotel | Imperial Hotel | |
| KAWANA | Mampai Hotel | |
| Kawana Hotel | Omori Hotel | |
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NEWS ABOUT THE SERVICES

LONDON GAZETTE

FRIDAY, JAN. 20

ADMIRALTY, JAN. 17

R.N.
Surg. Lieut. Comdr. G. Rorison,
M.B. Ch.B., to be Surg. Comdr.
(Jan. 17)

JAN. 18

R.N.
Cd. Gunr. (T) F. J. Titball placed
on Retd. List with rank of Lieut.
(Jan. 18)

WAR OFFICE, JAN. 20

REGULAR ARMY

Col. (temp. Brig.) E. F. S. Dawson,
M.C., retains the temp. rank of
Brig. while emp'd as Chief Eng-
ineer, W. (Independent) Dist., In-
dia (Nov. 1, 1938). (Substituted for
the notif. in the Gazette of Jan.
13); Col. K. F. D. Gattie, D.S.O.,
M.C., is granted the temp. rank of
Brig. while emp'd as a Bde. Comdr.
in India (Nov. 26, 1938); Col. W. W.
T. Torr, D.S.O., M.C., retires on ret.
pay (Dec. 20, 1938); Col. L. D.
Woolcombe retires on ret. pay
(Jan. 19); Maj. A. J. K. Pigott,
from R. Berks R., to be Col. (Jan.
18).

COMMANDS AND STAFF

The foll. relinquish their appts.:
—Col. W. W. T. Torr, D.S.O., M.C.,
as Mil. Attache (graded as G.S.O.
1st Grade), Washington (Dec. 20,
1938); Col. L. D. Woolcombe, as
Off. i/c Inf. Record and Pay Office,
Exeter (Jan. 19); Lt.-Col. T. O.
Thompson, D.M., R.A.M.C., as Asst.
Dir. of Hygiene, War Office (Jan.
7); Maj. C. K. Thursby-Pelham,
M.C., R. Signals, as D.A.A.G., War
Office (Jan. 21); Maj. A. C. Shortt,
R.E., as G.S.O. 2nd Grade, War
Office (Jan. 21); Maj. I. D. Erskine,
S. Gds., as Bde. Maj., 1st Inf. Bde.
(Jan. 21); Maj. B. G. Mason,
R.A., as Staff Capt., 5th Div. (Jan.
21); Maj. E. B. Thornhill, M.C.,
R.A., as Staff Capt. S. Comd. (Jan.
21); Capt. M. W. Hope, R.A., as
Bde. Maj., R.A., 3rd Div. (Jan. 10).

The following appointments are
made:—Col. A. J. K. Pigott, from
D.A.A.G., to be A.A.G., War Office
(Jan. 16); Maj. H. A. Sandford,
M.C., M.B. R.A.M.C., to be Asst. Dir.
of Hygiene, War Office (Jan. 7);
Maj. S. N. Shoosmith, R.A., from
Staff Capt., War Office (temp.), to
be Bde. Maj., R.A., 3rd Div. (Jan.
10); Capt. G. W. Lathbury, Oxf.
and Bucks L.I., to be Bde. Maj., 8th
Inf. Bde. (Jan. 11); Lt. F. N. St. J.
Fairhurst, 7th H., to be A.D.C. to
the Comdr. Mobile Div., The British
Troops in Egypt (Oct. 1, 1938).

CAVALRY

The Greys.—Lt. P. M. Borwick to
be Adj. vice Capt. R. H. Anstruther-
Cough-Calthorpe (Jan. 21).

7th H.—Lt. F. N. St. J. Fairhurst
is sec'd for serv. on the Staff (Oct.
1, 1938).

ROYAL REGIMENT OF

ARTILLERY

The following are restored to the
establishment:—Maj. and Bt. Lt.-
Col. C. W. Allfrey, D.S.O., M.C. Jan.
21; Maj. G. Colcheater (Jan. 21);
Capt. M. W. Hope (Jan. 10).

Capt. C. A. S. Cameron is sec'd.
for serv. with the Aux. Force India
(Jan. 21).

The following Capt. are restored
to the establishment (Jan. 21):—
P. H. de Havilland, R. Leigh.

Lt. J. C. N. Watson is sec'd. while
employed with the R.A. Det. Ex-
perimental Stn., Porton (Nov. 21,
1938).

Field Branch.—Maj. B. G. Mason
is restored to the establishment
(Jan. 21).

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

The following are restored to the
establishment (Jan. 21):—Maj. C.
K. Thursby-Pelham, M.C., Capt. A.
J. Keddie.

INFANTRY

R. War. R.—Lt. P. B. Clarke to
be Adj. vice Capt. B. B. Walton
(Jan. 14).

Devon R.—Lt.-Col. C. H. Gotto,
D.S.O., M.C., on completion of

his period of serv. in comd., is re-
moved from the Regt. List and
remains on full pay (Jan.
19); Maj. A. H. Cope, D.S.O., to be
Lt.-Col. (Jan. 19).

Green Howards.—Lt.-Col. H. S.
Kreyer, D.S.O., O.B.E., on comple-
tion of his period of serv. in
comd., is removed from the Regt.
List and remains on full pay
(Jan. 19); Maj. A. E. Robinson to
be Lt.-Col. (Jan. 19).

K.O.S.B.—Capt. D. Dundas Rob-
ertson is placed on the h.p. list
on account of ill-health (Jan. 5).

Hampshire R.—Lt. C. A. T. Hal-
liday to be Adj. vice Capt. G. D.
Browne (Jan. 21).

Oxf. and Bucks L.I.—Capt. G.
W. Lathbury remains sec'd. for
serv. on the Staff (Jan. 11).

North'n R.—Lt. P. W. P. Green
to be Adj. vice Capt. J. A. W.
Ballard (Jan. 21).

Manch. R.—Capt. R. Chandler is
rest'd to the estab. (Jan. 21).

H.L.I.—Capt. R. W. Leckie-Ewing
to be Adj. vice Capt. S. A. F. S.
Egerton (Jan. 21).

ROYAL TANK CORPS

The foll. are rest'd. to the
estab.:—Maj. S. D. Hayward (Jan.
21); Capt. C. E. Ward (Dec. 22,
1938).

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE

CORPS

Lt. G. Macleod to be Capt. (Jan.
20); Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) T. V. Kane to
be Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) (Jan. 20).

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

Short Service Commission.—Lt.
(on prob.) A. L. J. Webb to be
sec'd. under the prov. of Art. 213,
Royal Warrant for Pay, from Jan.
1.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

Lt.-Col. (O.M.E. 1st Cl.) W. J.
Glanville, B.A., A.M.Inst. C.E.,
having attained the age for re-
tirement to retire, and retain his
present appt. (Jan. 16); Maj. (O.
M.E. 2nd Cl.) (temp. Lt.-Col.) O.
M.E. 1st Cl.) J. F. K. Miller, M.I.
Mech.E., to be Lt.-Col. (O.M.E.
1st Cl.) (Jan. 18).

THE ARMY DENTAL CORPS

Short Service Commission.—W.
A. Ferris to be Lt. (on prob.)
(Jan. 2).

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S

IMPERIAL MILITARY

NURSING SERVICE

Sister Miss F. Hornsfield to resign
her appt. (Dec. 14, 1938).

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Radio Programmes

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MUSIC-HALL AND OTHER LONDON RELAYS

Light Variety
12-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service
of Intercession from St. John's
Cathedral.
12.30 p.m. Leslie Hutchinson
(Vocal), at the Piano.
Dreaming A Dream (from 'Yes
Madam?'); This Is No Sin (from
'Hi Diddle-Dee'); There's Rain
In My Eyes (McCarthy-Schwartz);
Take Me In Your Arms (Roncoroni).
12.42 p.m. Hawaiian Music.

Underneath The Blue Hawaiian
Skies—Waltz (Wasserman); Sweet
Hawaiian Dream Girl—Waltz
(Green and Williams)—The
Hawaiian Marimba Players; Ha-
waiian Stars Are Gleaming (Ege
and Rosen); Oh! Rocalita (Ege
and Liossas)—Lina Milford and
His Hawaiian Players with Vocal
Chorus; Farewell Hawaii (Buchel
and Philippe)—The Hawaiian
Islanders with Vocal Chorus.
1 p.m. Local Time Signal and
Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Latest Dance Music.
Quickstep—Hold My Hand; Slow
Fox-Trot—Heart And Soul (film
'A Song Is Born')—Gerry Moore
(Piano); Fox-Trot—It Rains—
Who Cares!; A Garden In Granada
—Bartie Stanton Quintet; Waltz—
Never Break A Promise; Fox-Trot
—Ride, Tenderfoot, Ride (film
'Romance and Rhythm')—The
Organ, The Dance Band and
Me (Piano) with vocal refrain;
Fox-Trot—Look-A-There—Shim
and Slam; Fox-Trot—The Trek
Song (film 'We're going to be
rich'); Quickstep I Got Love—The
Band Waggoners cond. by Phil
Cardew with vocal refrain.
1.13 p.m. Reuter and Rugby
Press, Weather Forecast and An-
nouncements.

1.40 p.m. Variety including Vic
Oliver, Florence Desmond, The
His Brothers and the Ballyhoo-
gans.
Swing Is The Thing (from
'Blackbirds of 1938')—The Mills
Brothers (Four Boys and a Guitar);
Choo-Choo—Quickstep; China Boy
—Quickstep—The Ballyhooigans;
In Love Again (from 'Seeing
Stars') (With Impressions of Bing
Crosby and Elizabeth Bergner)—
Florence Desmond (Comedienne)
with Orchestra; Busting In
(Oliver); Vic Oliver Goes Naughty
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7.45—BBC Empire Orchestra.

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8.45—Books—I. Talk by the Rt.
Hon. the Earl of Lytton
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9.00—Students' Songs and Sailor
Songs (D3).

9.30—News (D3).

10.00—Big Ben. 'In Town To-
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STAR: "Polo Joe"

MAJESTIC: "Everybody Sing"

Coming

KING'S: "Beau Hunks"

QUEEN'S: "Arrest Bulldog Drummond"

ORIENTAL: "Of Human Hearts"

ALHAMBRA: "That Certain Woman"

STAR: "The Trumpet Blows"

MAJESTIC: "Mad About Music"

RADIO PROGRAMME

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chestra cond. by Richard Grean; Nursery Rhymes. Intro: My Lady Wind; The Babes in the Wood; The King of France; A Fox went out; Pussy cat, pussy cat; Many, Mary quite contrary; etc. — Uncle George's Party with Orchestra; Studio-Serial Story; "Snow White and The Seven Dwarfs"—Selection—Reginald Foort at the B.B.C. Organ.

6.30 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations.

6.32 p.m. Dance Music.

Tangos—Tango Illusion; Tango Espanol—Robert—Ronard Dance Orchestra; Fox-Trot—Wanting You; Quickstep—Land in Sight—Billy Bartholomew and His Dance Orch.

8.45 p.m. London Relay—Music-Hall.

Including Bennett and Williams (Two jovial boys with their phonofiddles) and Renee Houston and Donald Stewart with the B.B.C. Variety Orchestra conducted by Charles Shadwell. Presented by John Sharman.

7.45 p.m. Quentin Maclean at the Organ.

China Doll Parade (Zameentik); Babbling (Quentin M. Maclean); "The Gold Diggers of Broadway"—Selection (Burke)—with the Regal Cinema Orchestra cond. by Emanuel Starkey.

8 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.07 p.m. Edward German—Three Dances From Nell Gwyn.

Country Dance; Pastoral Dance; Merry-makers' Dance—Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra conducted by Sir Dan Godfrey.

8.13 p.m. Excerpts from Gilbert and Sullivan.

"The Gondoliers"; Of Happiness The Very Ritz—Derek Oldham, George Baker and Chorus; Riding Early In The Morning—George Baker and Chorus; "The Gondoliers"; With Duca Pomy—Henry A. Lytton, Bertha Lewis and Chorus; On The Day When I was Wedded—Bertha Lewis; To Help Unhappy Commoners—Henry A. Lytton and Bertha Lewis; "The Yeomen of the Guard"; How Say You Maiden, Will You Wed—Arthur Hoddling, Winifred Lawson and George Baker; I've Jibe and Joke—George Baker (Baritone); 'Tis Done! I Am A Bride!—Winifred Lawson (Soprano); "The Mikado" Oh, Faithless One—D. Lewis, D. Oldham, E. Giffin and Chorus; Boud the Raven Hair—Beatrice Elburn (Soprano) and Chorus of Girls.

8.45 p.m. London Relay—"Books"—I.

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9 p.m. London Relay—Students' Songs and Sailors Songs.

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9.30 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.50 p.m. Songs by Gracie Fields. Do You Remember by First Love Song (film "Queen of Hearts"); Why

FIGURE SUBJECT



A figure subject by Cheung Shu-shak, an exhibit to be included in the Joint Exhibition at St. John's Cathedral Hall on Friday. The show is sponsored by the Hongkong Working Artists' Guild.

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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY
ANNIVERSARIES AND HOLIDAYS
—President Roosevelt born, 1882.
St. Martina.
AUCTIONS—Crown Land, at P.W.D. Offices, 3 p.m.
CINEMAS—(See Column 3 of this Page).
DANCES—Cheero Club Dance, 8.30 p.m.
LECTURES—First Aid, Ying Wah Boys' College, 8 p.m.; at St. John Ambulance Hqrs., 7.30 p.m.
MAILS—(See Page 16).
MEETINGS—Annual of Kowloon Union Church, in the Church Hall, 8.45 p.m.; L.C.A. Business Mtg., at S. & S. Home, 8 p.m.; St. Andrew's Church Medical Relief Working Party, 10 a.m.
MISCELLANEOUS—Art Exhibition, Local Preliminary to London Show, in S. C. M. Post Board Room; Y.M.C.A. Cookery Class, 2.30 p.m.; Examination on Anti-Gas V.A. Course, and St. John Ambulance Brigade, at Helena May, 5.30 p.m.; St. Andrew's Church Teachers' Preparation Class, 7 p.m.
MOON—Chinese XII Moon, 11th Day.
REHEARSALS—Hongkong Singers, Union Church, Kennedy Road, 5.30 p.m.; H.K. Philharmonia Society, Orchestra Section, at Seamen's Institute, 8.45 p.m.
RELIGIOUS—St. Andrew's Church Fellowship of Youth, 6 p.m.
SOCIAL—Y.M.C.A. Whist Drive, 9 p.m.
SPORTS—(See Page 2).

SUNRISE—7.03 a.m. SUNSET—6.10 p.m.
TIDES—High at 04.19 and 16.21. Low at 08.40.
TO-MORROW
AUCTIONS—Household Furniture, at No. 132, Argyle Street, 1st Floor, Kowloon, 10.30 a.m.; at Lammet Bros. Sales Room, No. 36, Hankow Road, Kowloon, 2.30 p.m.
MEETINGS—Annual of St. Andrew's Church Mothers' Union, 3 p.m.; Brownie Pack, 3.30 p.m.
MOON—Chinese XII Moon, 12th Day.
RELIGIOUS—St. Andrew's Church Boys' Choir Practice, 6.30 p.m.; ROTARY MEETING—At Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden, 1 p.m.
SOCIAL—Y.M.C.A. Women's Section Sewing Bee, 10 a.m.
SUNRISE—7.04 a.m. SUNSET—6.10 p.m.

COLOMBO FACES WATER FAMINE

There is just sufficient water for thirty days in the Labugama reservoir and unless there is heavy rain in the catchment area Colombo residents will have an unprecedented water famine.

The water has fallen about 40 feet below spill-level and the reservoir, which was once full to the brim, is now almost empty and resembles a dried-up stream.

WOMEN'S PAGE

Women Consult Higher Authority—Man!

Women don't go to women for advice—they prefer the counsel of man because they still believe he is a higher authority. That view was expressed by speakers at the conference in Cambridge of the Society for the Ministry of Women. Dr. Maude Royden (herself a minister) said that before the war she was working in politics, and found a good deal of opposition to women which was brutal.

"But," she added, "in politics I met with the same quality of opposition—what I can only call slime—as I met when I began urging the entrance of women into the ministry. It is a sort of yellow streak which is worse than brutality."

Miss Royden also spoke of the "dreadful wave of opposition" which was aroused against a certain married woman minister when it became known that she was expecting to become a mother.

Miss Royden said that she did not believe that women's objection to women ministers was a sex objection at all. Many women would rather go to a man for advice just as an inferior would want to consult a superior.

The reason for that was that women had been, since the beginning of the subject sex, therefore, a great many women still had the feeling—which was now vanishing—that in going to a man for advice they were going to a higher authority.

The Rev. Dr. A. Herbert Gray (London), of the English Presbyterian Church, said that large numbers of women preferred to turn to men in their need. They wanted a man confessor.

Weddings At Registry

Before Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith at the Registry, Supreme Court, on Saturday, Miss Murrina el Arculli, of No. 16 King Kwong Street, was married to Mr. Rustam Jehangir Master, engineer, of the China Light and Power Co., Ltd.

Miss el Arculli, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Osman el Arculli, is a member of a prominent Indian family.

A reception was held later in the afternoon at No. 474 Nathan Road, the bridegroom's residence, at which many friends were present.

Another wedding solemnised on Saturday at the Registry was that between Stoker Petty Officer Henry Alfred Yewen, of H.M.S. Westcott, and Miss Nina Eugenieva Reibel, of No. 26 Carnarvon Road, Kowloon.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
The following forthcoming marriages are announced:—

Mr. Woo Tat-chung, accountant, residing at No. 21 Lan Kwai Fong, ground floor, and Miss Lam Suet-mul, of No. 37 Leighton Hill Road, ground floor.

Mr. Wong Kam-wah, manager of the Shu Hing Knitting Factory, residing at No. 1a Pitt Street, Kowloon, and Miss Lim Sing-lan, of No. 107 Queen's Road West, 1st floor; and

Mr. Hon You-jee, merchant, of No. 508 Prince Edward Road, 2nd floor, and Miss Irene Louie, of No. 82 Tal Street, ground floor.

Round About

Early one evening a considerate gentleman possessing an over abundance of goodwill towards man passed through the offices in one of the hotels. How he arrived in these particular surroundings, he seemed not to know. However, a persistent buzzing sound attracted him to a board where a red light glowed.

No one was in the office at the time, therefore, he viewed this light and the various cord plugs which appeared from a wooden box and were stuck in holes on this board.

The buzzing continued. An idea formed in the man's brain. Is this noise necessary. It certainly should be stopped! Ah! he knows what to do, and so grabbing the five or six plugs and their lines he detaches them from their respective holes in the board.

Quiet, solitude vanished, the one buzzing sound grew in volume as seven and eight red lights flashed on and off. In disgust he seated himself in the chair by this mechanical apparatus and stared at the red lights, still the buzzing noises continued.

Finally an assistant manager practically tears down the door coming into the room. He does not thank the gentleman for his consideration and assistance in disconnecting seven telephone con-

CANDID CAMERA AT KWANTI



PICTURE snapped at the Fanling Race meeting held last Sunday at Kwanti—(Photo by Leica).

NEWSETTES

It is learned that the proposed Dog Show will be held on March 19.

Mr. George She is now acting Warden of St. John's Hall, University of Hongkong.

Dr. Sterling Tomlinson, B.A., M.B., B. Ch., B.A.O. (Dublin) has been appointed a Medical Officer.

Mr. J. Keswick, of Jardine, Matheson and Company, was also a passenger in the Empress of Canada on Saturday.

Mr. J. W. Fitzgerald, Acting Chief Warden, has been appointed Acting Superintendent of Hongkong Prison.

On Saturday evening, members of the R. A. M. C. will hold a dance in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel.

Mrs. W. Sharp, wife of Mr. W. Sharp of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance, arrived here on Saturday in the Empress of Canada.

Mr. M. M. E. Remard, of the Banque Belge pour l'Etranger, arrived in the Colony on board the Empress of Canada on Saturday.

Another arrival by the Empress of Canada on Saturday was Mr. J. F. Kram, of the China Electric Company, Shanghai.

The George Goncharoff School of Dance will present "The Sleeping Beauty" at the King's Theatre on Thursday, February 2, at 5.10 p.m.

The King's Exequatur empowering Mr. Dick Fredrick Attree Wakeford Wesman to act as Consul for Norway at Hongkong, has received His Majesty's signature.

Mr. D. J. Gilmore, of the Chartered Bank, reports that his motor car No. 2253 has been stolen from the car park near the Star Ferry wharf, Kowloon.

Mr. L. R. Cramer, accountant of the National City Bank, returned from leave on board the Empress of Canada on Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Cramer and family.

Prof. L. Forster, of the Hongkong University, returned from leave in the Empress of Canada which arrived from Vancouver, via ports, on Saturday.

Mr. W. H. Chamberlain, Far East correspondent of the "Christian Science Monitor" was a passenger in the Empress of Canada which arrived here on Saturday.

Mr. O. Pritchard, co-pilot of Imperial Airways on the Hongkong to Bangkok route has been confined to the War Memorial Hospital with a minor ailment.

His Excellency the Governor, under instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, has been pleased to recognize Herr Franz Ferring as Vice-Consul for Germany at Hongkong.

A public address will be given by the Rev. George Shepherd, M.A., D.D., Adviser to the New Life Movement, on "The New Life Movement and the War", at St. John's Hall, Bonham Road, on Thursday, February 2, at 7.45 p.m. All are welcome.

Versations of hotel guests. Instead the official of the hotel showed him door and bid him depart in no uncertain language.

Mr. V. G. Bowden, Australian Government Trade Commissioner in China, and Mrs. Bowden, arrived here yesterday, and are staying at the Hongkong Hotel.

Mr. D. Drummond, Oriental Manager of Canadian Pacific Steamships Ltd., returned to the Colony by the Empress of Canada which berthed at Kowloon Wharf on Saturday morning.

Mr. V. St. J. Killery, of Imperial Chemical Industries, Shanghai, and a member of the Shanghai Municipal Council, arrived here on Saturday in the Empress of Canada.

Mr. Gilbert A. Harlman, well-known member of the Hongkong Sharebrokers' Association, returned to the Colony from Vancouver on Saturday on board the Empress of Canada.

It is also notified that the King's Exequatur empowering Senior Raymond E. Devaux to act as Honorary Consul for Guatemala at Hongkong, has received His Majesty's signature.

This coming Saturday evening Lieut. Commander A.D.S. Murray of Imperial Airways' Hongkong office will be host to a dinner party for sixteen guests in the Jacobean Room of the Hongkong Hotel.

Wing-Commander H. S. Kerby, Air Attache to the British Embassy, accompanied by Mrs. Kerby, arrived in the Empress of Canada from the North on Saturday morning.

Mr. W. A. Scharffenberg, language teacher at the University of Communications, Shanghai, was a passenger on board the liner Empress of Canada which arrived from Vancouver and the North on Saturday.

Mr. A. J. Welch, manager of J. A. Wattle and Company, leading companies secretaries, Shanghai, and Mrs. Welch were passengers on board the Empress of Canada which arrived here on Saturday from the North.

Mr. R. D. Gillespie, managing director of Imperial Chemical Industries (China) Ltd., was a passenger on board the liner Empress of Canada which arrived on Saturday.

Mr. M. E. Arnold, former Chairman of the Shanghai Municipal Council, arrived in the Colony on board the Empress of Canada on Saturday morning from Vancouver.

Major-General A. E. Grasett, D.S.O., M.C., General Officer Commanding, returned to the Colony from his visit to the North on board the Empress of Canada on Saturday.

The names of Dr. Choong Ka-khey, M.B., B.S. (Hongkong), Dr. Ping-lun So, (Igaku-shi of the Kyusyu Imperial University of Japan) and Dr. Chan Chung-san, M.B., B.S. (Hongkong) have been added to the Register of Medical Practitioners.

The Hongkong Working Artists' Guild will hold a joint exhibition of Chinese paintings by Mr. Cheung Shu-shuek and Calligraphy by Mr. Tse Hl at St. John's Cathedral Hall, Garden Road, from Friday, February 3 until Monday, February 6, daily from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. (Sunday, February 5, 1 p.m. to 7 p.m.).

MONDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST

Baked Apple
Cereal
Pork Sausages and Bacon
Buckwheat Cakes
Honey
Coffee

LUNCHEON

Onion Soup au Gratin
Stuffed Tomato Salad
Lamb Cutlets
Cauliflower and Peas
Potato Cakes
Popovers
Custard and Cookies
Tea

DINNER

Tomato Juice
Chicken Broth
Salmon Salad
Meat Loaf
Mushroom Sauce
Hot Asparagus
Buttered Beets
Chilli
Ice Cream and Marshmallow Cake
Coffee

Mr. R. A. D. Forrest will speak on "The Judgment of Character from Handwriting" at the tiffin meeting of the Rotary Club in the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel to-morrow.

Information has been received from the Director, League of Nations Health Organization Eastern Bureau, Singapore, to the effect that quarantine restrictions against Hongkong on account of cholera have been removed.

Dr. Ralph Stockman Begg, M.D., C.H.B. (Edin.), M.R.C.P. (Edin.), D.P.H., D.T.M. and H. (Edin.), has been appointed to act as Government Bacteriologist during the absence of leave of Dr. Aubrey Vernon Greaves, M.B. (Tor.), M.C.P. and S. (Ont.), D.T.M. (Liv.).

The engagement was announced in London recently of Miss Josephine Alexandra (Susan) Stabb, second daughter of the late Sir Newton and Lady Stabb, of Farnham Hall, Saxmundham, Suffolk, to Squadron Leader Lawrence W. Burgess, R.A.F., younger son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Burgess of 66 Palace Court, London W.2. Sir Newton Stabb was formerly Chief Manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

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FREEDOM OF THE PRESS

Debate In Wah Yan

The regular fortnightly debates in Wah Yan College, which had been interrupted for almost two months owing to the work by Class I students for the refugees in Fanning, were resumed on Saturday, when an interesting debate took place on the Freedom of the Press.

The exact wording of the motion before the house was:—"That the world has now reached a pass when the liberties of the press are too rigidly curtailed."

The actual debate was the result of a challenge from Class 1 to Class 2. The Sword Club (the Class 1 class organization) offered to debate either side of the motion against the Star Club (the Class 2 club). The challenge being accepted, the Star Club elected to defend the motion as proposed.

CRUDE PROPAGANDA

The main points put forward by the defenders were as follows:—Newspapers could, and should, be highly educational; should lift the people as a whole to higher levels of thought and idealism. If, however, their liberties were unduly interfered with, and they were allowed to print only such articles and editorials as the Government allowed, this aim could not be attained. The press would be reduced to the servile mouth-piece of autocratic rulers, and would become a mere instrument of crude propaganda.

The press, they argued, should act as a legitimate vent for grievances; for unless legitimate opposition to government measures were allowed to express itself, discontent would spread and rebellion would be fostered underground. Clearly, there was no question here of evil or immoral papers, engaged in spreading either false political doctrines or the knowledge of vice; such unworthy rags should be ruthlessly suppressed. But except for such productions, which no worthy citizen would hesitate to condemn, the press, like the individual, had a right to its liberty, and to interfere with its freedom to tell the truth was a grave breach of justice and political prudence.

The Sword Club, on the other hand, took up the point about the press, if controlled, becoming an instrument of propaganda, and turned it rather neatly on their opponents. Unless the press were controlled, they argued, it was certain to become an instrument of evil propaganda. Not all journalists were worthy of their high calling; and unless some kind of censorship, at least in mild form, were imposed, it was certain that papers would be printed and sold which preached the most dangerous and subversive ideas.

"DANGEROUS FREEDOM"

Their opponents were too credulous, they affirmed, if they believed that an unrestricted freedom to print anything was not highly dangerous; no revolution ever yet succeeded, which was not, frequently started, and always supported by a violent and able journalistic campaign. The press had enormous power, for good or evil; and it was the duty of any good government to ensure, in as gentle and tactful a way as possible, that this power was used for good. Man was born, indeed, free, but liberty in any walk of life needed to be curbed and restricted for the common good. Why should the servant be greater and freer than its master, the newspaper alone be free from the limits and restrictions of social life?

DONATIONS TO RELIEF

The following new donations to the British Fund for Relief of Distress in China brings the total to \$428,879.05:—

The Chinese Medical Dealers' Association, Hongkong, \$1,000.
Capt. A. E. Hazell, \$4.69.

EXHIBITION AT WEST POINT

Chinese Script Variations

CALLIGRAPHY WORK BY MR. CHEN

Ten different styles and over 30 variations of Chinese script by Mr. Chen Kung-cha, the calligraphist and author, are on view at an exhibition at the Kam Ling Restaurant, West Point.

The show, which opened on Saturday and ends to-day, has already been attended by hundreds of people, many of whom being prominent educators, scholars and government officials.

Many of the examples of Chen's calligraphy, made into scrolls, have been acquired by eager collectors. Mr. Chen possesses the singular gift of being able to write in nearly all styles of Chinese characters.

In addition to calligraphy, there are also on display a number of books written by Mr. Chen, as well as a large quantity of materials he has invented for the purpose of making Chinese writing easier.

JADE-POINTED PEN

Outstanding amongst these are several examples of the newly-perfected jade-pointed pen for writing large characters, an ink of special quality and a mechanical, labour-saving device for grinding the solidified ink cube.

An English work by Mr. Chen, "The Art of Chinese Calligraphy," is among the books exhibited. The work, which is fully illustrated, will shortly be published.

Formerly Chief of the Third Department of the Tientsin Municipal Government, Mr. Chen came to Hongkong after the start of the war, and has since been engaged in scientific and research work.

It is understood that he has unearthed some valuable prehistoric relics of Hongkong which are being identified and classified.

MANY CASES OF TUBERCULOSIS

Thirty-two cases of tuberculosis were reported to the health authorities on Friday, being the highest daily number recorded since the disease was made notifiable.

Three cases each of diphtheria, measles, chicken-pox, cerebro-spinal meningitis and dysentery, two cases of enteric fever and one case of puerperal fever were also reported.

EASTERN HEALTH

The Health Bulletin of Eastern Ports for the week ending January 21 is as follows:—

Cholera: Calcutta 13, Hongkong 1.
Small-Pox: Delhi City 18, Bombay 1, Calcutta 100, Karachi 1, Madras 57, Rangoon 2, Haiphong 1, Saigon Cholera 1 death, Hongkong 7, Shanghai 188.

ARMED ROBBERY CHARGE

Hearing of committal proceedings against Wong Ki, 27, and Mo Kung, 28, charged with armed robbery at Shek Ki Mei Village on January 9, was fixed by Mr. Q.A.A. Macdwyen at the Kowloon Court on Saturday for this afternoon.

Wong and Mo were arrested with four other men following the discovery of revolvers and ammunition in a cave at Kowloon Tong about three weeks ago. Charges against the other four men have been withdrawn, and they were discharged when they appeared on remand before the Magistrate on Saturday.

A decree nisi has been granted to Mrs. Ellen Florence Allen from her husband, William Elijah Allen, in an undivided divorce suit in London recently. Mrs. Allen is well-known in Hongkong, being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Colesworthy of the Royal Naval Dockyard.

BACK TO THE BIBLE

"What About Hell?"

"Why do men and women get as far away as possible from a Back-to-the-Bible Campaign?" asked Doctor Oliver at the Kowloon Union Church on Friday evening. The answer, he said, is that the Truth is too hot for crooked lives. "If I came with a record of denials of the Book, there would not be a building in Hongkong half large enough to hold the crowd who would come to hear the Book torn to pieces. People say I rub the tur the wrong way. The real trouble is that the fur is headed in the wrong direction."

The most characteristic thing about the Bible is the definite division it draws between the sons of God and the children of the Devil. Those who rebel against the light from heaven do so by choice, and in choosing they determine their own eternal destination. "For ever and ever" are the words used to describe both the duration of the Throne of God in Hebrews 1, and also to describe the duration of Hell in Revelation 20.

The last message which the Lord, Jesus Christ, gave to Spirit-inspired men to write to the human race was that those who live for the Devil and serve him must spend eternity with him. "Without are dogs" (Rev. 22, verse 15) has reference to false preachers and prophets, described by Isaiah as "dumb dogs which cannot bark; sleeping, lying down, loving to slumber."

THE ONLY DRAWBACK

An African chief, when first shown a mirror, dashed it to the ground exclaiming "who was that looking at me?" A merchant of Boston said that the only thing keeping him from accepting Christ was the Bible. "I look into it for comfort, but every time it hits me right between the eyes," he said. The Bible was showing him himself as God saw him, but it was not the Bible which was keeping him from Christ.

There is a law of segregation in operation everywhere. On board ship the gamblers get together in a place by themselves, whilst the Christians delight to gather for a Gospel meeting. Hell is an absolute necessity. Just imagine the newspapers of Heaven coming out with the headline "Bag snatching down on Hallelujah Avenue." There would be gangs of thieves digging up the golden street, whilst others took the pearly gates off their hinges and put them up for auction. "There shall in no wise enter into the New Jerusalem anything that defileth." The enemies of the bath-tub and the Bible are not noted for cleanliness morally or spiritually.

PRESS THANKED

A number of wealthy men of Pittsburgh and Johnstown, Pennsylvania, formed a club. By damming a canyon, they formed a beautiful lake which they stocked with fish. Wild duck and geese were hunted there, and it was an anglers' paradise. There came an unusually wet season, with week upon week of steady downpour. A man whose home was in the mountains suddenly saw the great dam vibrate under the terrific weight of water. He rode through the main streets of Johnstown crying out "The dam is breaking." Some took warning but many did not. The great rush of water hurled a magnificent residential district against the trestle of a railroad bridge, and 3,600 bodies were recovered from the debris. Desolation will sweep this world like a besom of destruction.

The lecturer expressed his appreciation of the space which the Press have given to reports of his lectures.

For the proper regulation of traffic, a large bus terminus is shortly to be built at the vehicular ferry wharf on the island side of the harbour. In addition, a new wharf to meet the increased ferry services is being constructed near the present wharf directly opposite Pottinger Street.

OFFENCES AGAINST PERSON

Draft Amendment To Ordinance

The "Government Gazette" publishes the draft of a Bill to amend section 45A of the Offences Against the Person Ordinance, 1865, as enacted by the Offences Against the Person Amendment Ordinance, 1938.

Be it enacted by the Governor of Hongkong, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Offences Against the Person Amendment Ordinance, 1939.

2. Section 45A of the Offences Against the Person Ordinance, 1865, as enacted by section 2 of the Offences Against the Person Amendment Ordinance, 1938, is amended by the addition of the following sub-section at the end thereof:—

(5) The consent of the person intended to be, or actually, unlawfully transferred, taken into possession, custody or control or harboured, or the receipt by such person of the consideration, or any part thereof shall be no defence to a charge or indictment under this section.

OBJECTS AND REASONS

1. Sub-section (4) of section 45A of the Offences Against the Person Ordinance, No. 2 of 1865, as printed in Volume I of the Ordinances of Hongkong (1937 Edition), provided that it should be no defence to a charge under the section that the minor, whose transfer was the subject of a prohibited transaction, consented to it or received the whole or any part of its consideration.

2. The substituted section 45A, enacted by Ordinance No. 18 of 1938, which no longer limited the offence to transactions concerning minors and which made it indictable, contained no provision relating to the consent of the person transferred or to his receipt of any part of the consideration.

3. The object of this Bill is to add to the new section 45A of the principal Ordinance, a sub-section to the effect generally of the provision omitted in 1938.

ROYAL SCOTS DINNER TO HONOUR BARD

The Sergeants' Mess of the Royal Scots held their "Burns" dinner at Hotel Cecil on Saturday night when many members and guests attended.

Bandmaster Jordan, of the Royal Scots, presided and among the guests present were Lieut. Col. McDougall, officer commanding 2nd Battalion Royal Scots, Lieut. Col. M. Carr, Major S. E. White, Major A. G. Syme, Captain Mackenzie Kennedy, Captain Burn, Capt. Masterton-Smith, Capt. R. N. Gilbertson, Lieut. Q. M. J. R. Pirie, Rev. MacKenzie Dow and the Rev. Winstanley.

Bandmaster Jordan proposed the "Guests" and Lieut. Col. Macdougall responded.

Rev. MacKenzie Dow proposed "The Immortal Memory."

FUNERAL OF MR. W. H. BOURNE

The funeral of the late Mr. W. H. Bourne took place at the Colonial Cemetery on Saturday, the Rev. F. A. Rose officiating.

The deceased practiced as an architect for many years in the Colony. He was 64 years of age and died in the Queen Mary Hospital after a brief illness.

Among those who attended the last rites were Messrs. H. J. Pearce, B. H. Collis Hallows, Lau Tung and many others.

Wreaths were sent by Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Henderson, Mr. A. G. W. Tickle, Mr. C. E. Moore, Mr. H. J. Pearce, Mr. H. Y. Lay, Mr. A. N. Seaton, Mr. William Erskine, Mrs. E. Williams, Miss Dolly Leung, Mr. C. T. Wong, Mr. Lau Tung and Staff, and Staff of the Building Authority.

URBAN COUNCIL VACANCY

It is notified that a vacancy has occurred on the Urban Council necessitating an election. Nominations of candidates to fill the vacancy are invited.

Each nomination must be in writing, countersigned by the candidate in a sealed envelope addressed to the Presiding Officer at the Registry, Supreme Court, not later than 1 p.m. on Wednesday, February 8.

Nomination forms may be obtained at the Registry, Supreme Court.

AGENDA FOR MEETING

At the meeting of the Urban Council to be held to-morrow at 4.15 p.m., the following will be considered:—

Correspondence relative to the appointment of Dr. T.W. Ware to serve on the Select Committee for Cubicles in place of Dr. G.W. Pope who has gone on leave.

Correspondence relative to the proposed erection of a public lavrine on the site North of and adjoining New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2041, Nam Kok Road.

Application for an eating house licence for No. 20, Spring Garden Lane, ground floor.

Application for an eating house licence for No. 319, Queen's Road West, ground floor.

Application for an eating house licence for No. 384, Hennessy Road, ground floor.

Application for a food factory licence for No. 6, Shamchun Street, ground floor.

Application for a laundry licence for No. 52, Bonham Road, basement.

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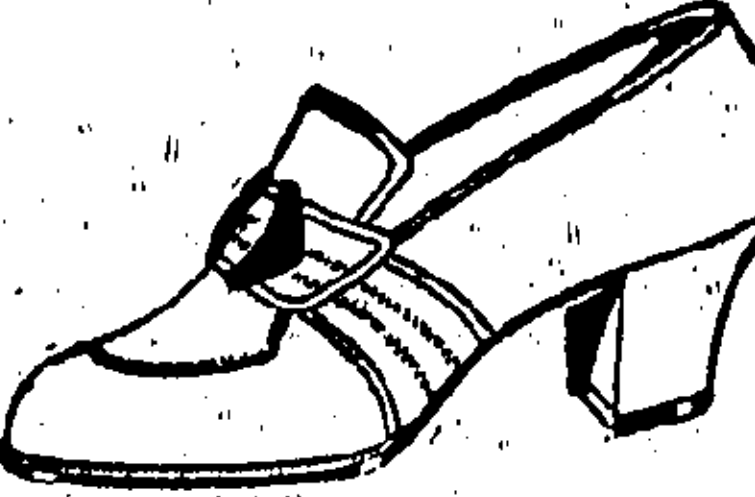
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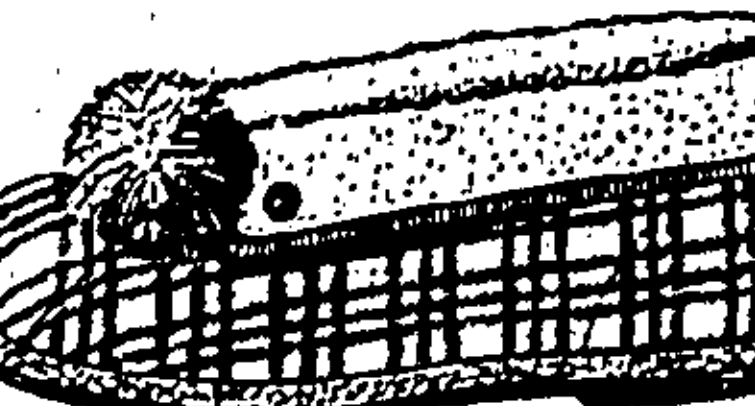
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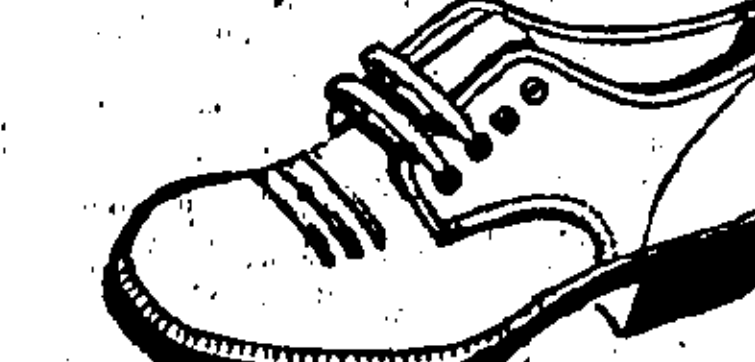
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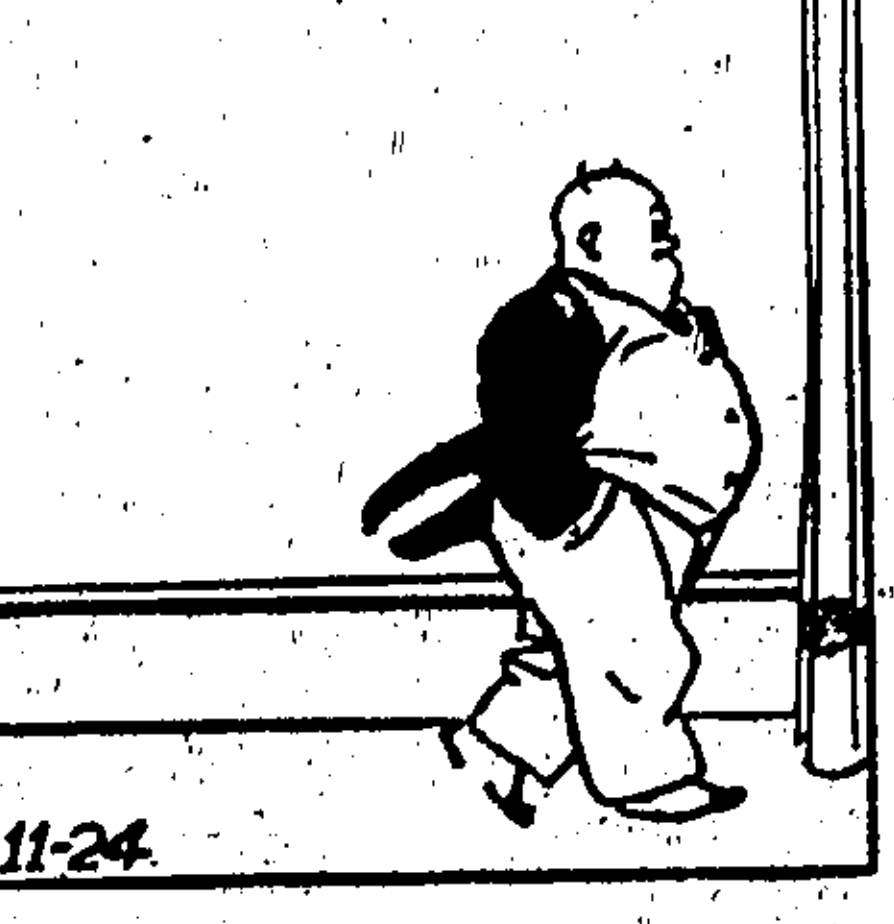
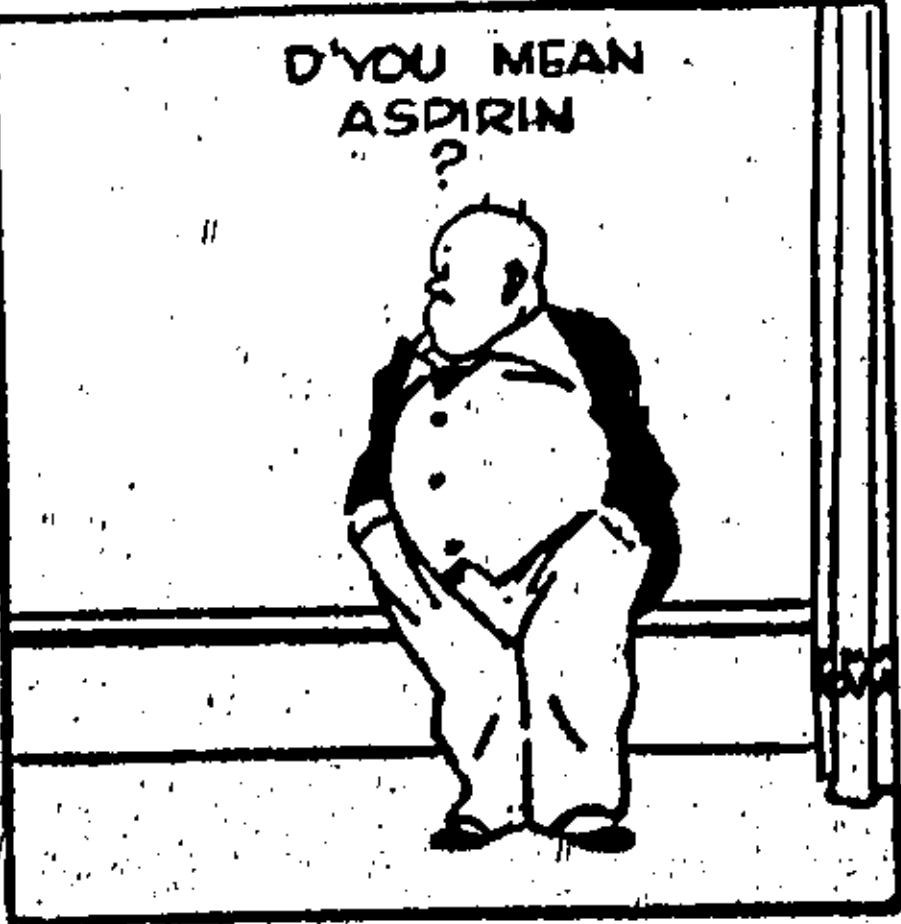
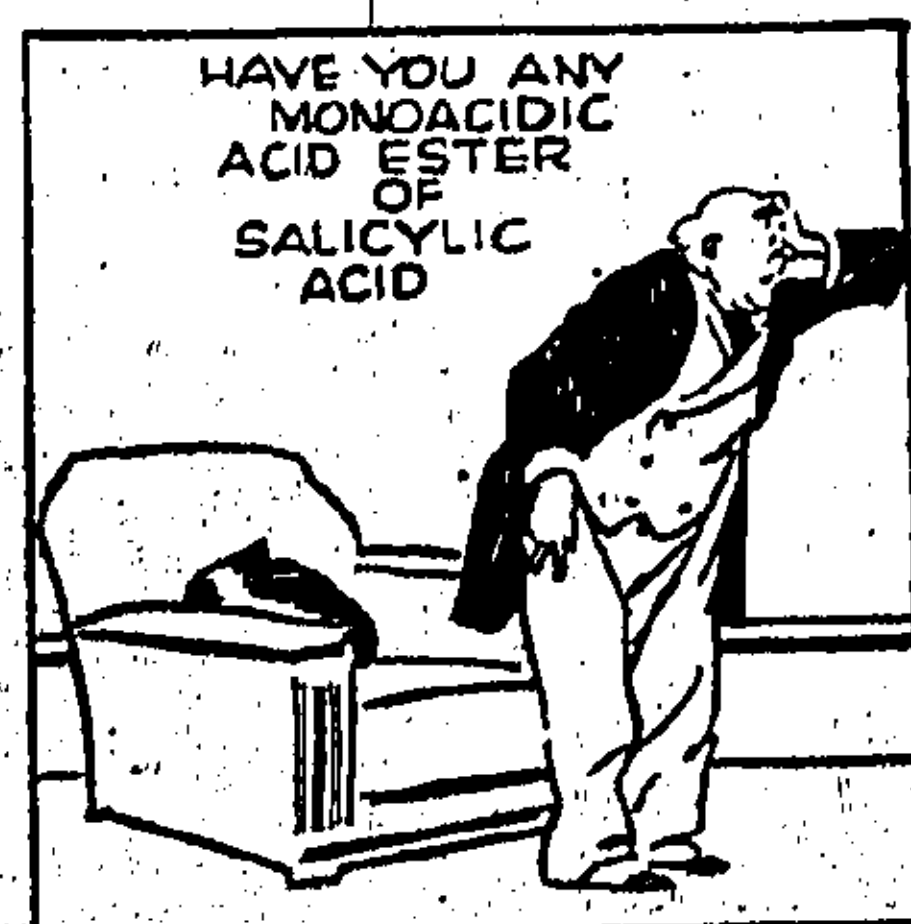
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NOTICE TO
SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN THAT THE FORTY-
FIRST ORDINARY YEARLY
MEETING OF THIS COM-
PANY will be held at the Office
of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson &
Co., Ltd. on Friday, the 24th
February, 1939, at 11.30 a.m.
for the purpose of receiving the
Report of the Directors together
with a Statement of Accounts
for the year ended 31st Decem-
ber, 1938.

The Register of Shares of the
Company will be CLOSED from
Friday, the 17th February,
1939, to Friday, the 24th Feb-
ruary, 1939, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of
Directors,

C. M. MANNERS,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 30th Jan., 1939.

TRINITY COLLEGE OF MUSIC,
LONDON.

Local Examinations.

The following are the dates of
the forthcoming Examinations:—

PRACTICAL:—

(Vocal and Instrumental Music)

Early May.

Last day of Entry Saturday,

25th February, 1939.

THEORETICAL:—

(Paper Work) on Saturday,

10th June, 1939.

Last day of Entry Saturday,

11th March, 1939.

Regulations, Official List of

Pieces and Studies, Entrance

Forms and Information on ap-
plication to the Local Secretary.

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c/o ANDERSON MUSIC CO.,
LTD.,
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HUMPHREYS ESTATE &
FINANCE COMPANY,
LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN THAT THE ANNUAL OR-
DINARY GENERAL MEET-
ING OF SHAREHOLDERS will
be HELD at the HONG KONG
HOTEL, Hong Kong, on
THURSDAY, the 16th. Febru-
ary, 1939, at 12 NOON for the
purpose of receiving the Report
of the Directors together with a
Statement of Accounts for the
year ended 31st. December, 1938.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of
the Company will be CLOSED
from SATURDAY, 4th. Febru-
ary to THURSDAY, 16th.
February, both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS
& SON,

General Managers

Hong Kong, 24th Jan., 1939.

HONG KONG TRAMWAYS,
LIMITED

NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN THAT THE ORDINARY
YEARLY GENERAL MEET-
ING OF HONG KONG TRAM-
WAYS, LIMITED will be held
at the offices of Messrs. Jardine,
Matheson & Co., Ltd., Hong
Kong, on FRIDAY, the 17th day
of February, 1939, at 12 o'clock
noon, to transact the ordinary
business of the Company.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY
ALSO GIVEN THAT THE REGIS-
TER OF MEMBERS OF the
Company will be CLOSED from
FRIDAY, the 3rd to FRIDAY,
the 17th February, 1939, both
days inclusive.

By Order of the Board
W. F. SIMMONS,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 25th Jan., 1939.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHINA PROVIDENT
LOAN & MORTGAGE
CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN THAT Certificate No. 8768
dated Hongkong, 30th January,
1934 for—392—shares of this
Company, numbered 181285/
181676 inclusive, registered in
the name of Lee Hysan (dec'd)
has been Lost or Destroyed, and
should this certificate not be pro-
duced to the Company before the
30th January 1939, a new certi-
cate for the shares will be
issued, and the aforesaid Certifi-
cate No. 8768 will be thereafter
treated by this Company as Null
and Void.

By Order of the Board
of Directors,
R. A. WICKERSON,
Secretary and Manager

BIRTH
HILDEBRANDT.—On January 25,
1939, at Paulun Hospital,
Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. J.
Hildebrandt, a daughter.

DEATH
SOARES.—On Wednesday, January
25, 1939, at the Shanghai Gen-
eral Hospital, Daniel (Dan-
din) A. Soares, age 49, the
dearly beloved husband of Sou-
Pao Gnoh, and the father of
Augusto, Mary, Francisco, Julia,
and Richard.

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HONGKONG, JANUARY 30, 1939.

JAPAN'S FOREIGN
TRADE DROPS

JAPAN'S ABILITY to prosecute
her ridiculous adventure in
China continues to be the subject
of considerable speculation among
certain people, many of whom cling
to the belief that her economic
position is not so unsound as critics
would make believe.

A CLOSE STUDY of Japan's for-
eign trade for 1938 will, how-
ever, prove how ineffectual are
Japan's claims to be able to push
the war in China.

INEFFECTUAL to the Tibetan
CLAIMS borders and to
fight for another
hundred years or more if neces-
sary. The hostilities which Tokyo
pleased to describe as "a local in-
cident," have passed the eighteen-
month mark, but Japan has not
made the headway she hoped,
prior to July, 1937, to make. Far
from defeating China within three
months, the invaders have been
shocked at the resistance which
the gallant armies of China have
been putting up.

IN 1938, the volume of Japan's
foreign trade declined from the
beginning of the year up to
July, after which it showed a slight
improvement. The improvement,
however, was not a positive one
brought about by increased ex-
ports; rather, it was a negative
one effected by decreased imports.

JAPAN'S TRADE with third
Powers up till the end of Octo-
ber showed decreases of about 40
and 42 per cent. respectively. Gov-
ernment controlled foreign ex-
change and, in view of the prevail-
ing situation, the importation of war
supplies and other materials had to
be precipitated, while the import
of civilian supplies for consumption
within the country and
of materials for the SHARP
manufacture of goods DROP IN
for export had to be IMPORTS
held down. Especially
sharp was the decline in imports
of cotton, wool, raw rubber and
pulp, all important materials for
the manufacture of goods for ex-
port and not for home consump-
tion. The amount of the decrease
corresponds to 67 per cent. in com-
parison with the corresponding
figures of 1937.

THE DECLINE in exports is put
down to several causes. Firstly,
the world-wide economic depres-
sion which is far more marked in

SATISFACTORY
YEAR

Chinese Bathing Club
Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Chi-
nese Bathing Club took place yes-
terday at the St. Francis Hotel.
There were present: Mr. Kwok
Hin-wang, Chairman; Mr. Shing
Chu-sow, Vice-Chairman; Mr. Tse
Yue-chuen, Hon. Treasurer; Mr. Ip
Koon-yim, Hon. Secretary; Messrs.
Leung Wing-cho, Ho Shun-hing,
Hui Pak-mei, Cheung Shiu-tong,
Chan Chi-ching, Mo Shu-um, Mrs.
Kwok Hin-wang, Mrs. Chan Chi-
ching, Committee; and a large
number of members. Tiffin was
served.

The year's work was very satis-
factory as disclosed in the report
read by the Hon. Secretary. The
balance sheet for 1938, proposed by



MR. KWOK HIN-WANG

Mr. Wong Kam-ying and seconded
by Mr. Ho Shu-um, was adopted.

A resolution was passed to the
effect that a sum of \$7,000 was to
be put aside for reconstruction of
the bathing shed in case of neces-
sity. This was proposed by Mr.
Leung Wing-cho and seconded by
Mr. Chan Chi-ching. This sum
will be in the hands of five trust-
ees, Messrs. Kwok Hin-wang,
Shing Chu-sow, Tse Yue-chuen,
Kwok Chan and Li Chi-chung,
elected by all the members.
Thirty-one members were elected
as the committee for the coming
year.

Mr. Kwok Hin-wang promised to
lend a sum sufficient for the up-
keep of the Club. In case the pre-
sent amount of maintenance fund
cannot last until the next swim-
ming season starts after putting
aside the \$7,000.

The meeting concluded with a
speech by the Chairman.

DROVE UNDER
INFLUENCE OF
LIQUOR

European Youth
Fined

H. W. McDonald, 20-year-old
youth, was summoned before
Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kow-
loon Court on Saturday morn-
ing when charges were pre-
ferred against him of driving
a car while under the influence
of drink, driving without
lights, driving a car without
the owner's permission and
driving without a license. Mc-
Donald pleaded guilty to all
charges, and was fined a total
of \$155.

Japan than in foreign countries.
Japan's exports to the United
States had fallen off by some 42
per cent. by the end of September,
1938, in comparison with the cor-
responding period a year previous.
Further, by the end of September,
1938, Japan's export trade with
third Powers fell off by as much
as 40 per cent., while the combined
world trade declined by only 12 per
cent. These figures obviously indi-
cate that there have been some
causes peculiar to Japan for her
unfavourable trend in her foreign
trade. The boycott of Japanese
goods, which has been vigorously
carried on by Chinese residents
abroad, may be considered a con-
tributory factor.

AS TO COMMODITY prices in
Japan, investigation reveals
that prices for 1938 rose by a little
more than ten per cent. This trend
presents a notable contrast to
prices in Great Britain and
America, where commodity prices
have continued to decline since
December 1937.

MEASURES will have to be taken
in order to improve Japan's ex-
ports and, until that is done, there
is no reason to believe that Japan
can strengthen herself economi-
cally, in which case her drive in
China must fail.

AMERICAN GIRL
DISCOVERED IN
HOTEL RAID

A 15-year-old American girl
who spoke fluent Cantonese but
not a word of English was dis-
covered in a room in the Hotel
Asla, Connaught Road, in the
course of a raid carried out on
Friday night by Miss Phyllis
Harrop, Lady Assistant to the
Secretary of Chinese Affairs,
and a party of officers.

The girl, it is stated, is well
known as "Helen" and has for the
past six months visited local hotels
and boarding houses on call. She
is stated to have been adopted by
Chinese parents at an early age,
and has lived in China since then.

Her real identity is at present
unknown, but it is hoped that
from a few photographs and ad-
dresses of people in various parts
of the United States, which were
found in her possession, further
information concerning her may
be obtained with the assistance of
the American consular authorities
here.

The girl, who is now in the Sal-
vation Army Home, was found in
the company of Chinese prosti-
tutes. Two girls, two women and
a man are at present detained by the
police pending inquiries.

ASSOCIATION
OF TENANTS
FORMED

The Hongkong and Kowloon
Tenants' Association was formally
inaugurated at the Hotel
Ocell on Saturday afternoon, it
being announced at the meet-
ing that the association had
already enrolled 4,787 members.

Mr. M. A. da Silva performed
the opening ceremony by uncover-
ing the new association's name
plaque.

"I have been accorded the very
great honour of being invited to
perform the opening ceremony to-
day," said Mr. Silva. "I under-
stand the need for the association
arose out of the congestion and
lack of accommodation in the
Colony arising out of the continual
influx of refugees since August,
1937.

"I also understand the aims and
objects of the association are
charitable ones. First, I believe,
is the obtaining of legal advice for
tenant members; the second, I
believe, is also the granting of free
medical services, and the third, the
promotion and establishment of
free schools for the children of
tenant members.

WORTHY OBJECTS

"I understand also that there
are many other objects and these
are all charitable ones. From this
it would appear that the associa-
tion is a worthy one."

Mr. Silva went on to relate the
story of a small boy, a wood-cut-
ter and a bundle of twigs. The boy
could break with his hands a single
twig, but even the wood-cutter was
unable to snap into two a bundle
of twigs bound together.

"The moral may be a very trite
one," Mr. Silva continued, "but
very true indeed. An association
is founded on unity, accord, and
union, and must depend for its
very existence on the continuity
of this unity and amity."

Dr. Kwok Lu-tung, who was in
the chair, also spoke, a message
from Dr. Kong Ham-fu was read
by his representative, and a re-
port on the association was read
by Mr. Liu Bing-chuen. The meet-
ing concluded with the reading of
messages of congratulation from
other associations and the taking
of a group photograph.

APPEAL FOR
VARSITIES

LONDON, Jan. 28 (Reuter).—An
appeal on behalf of the Chinese
universities is made by Mr. George
Gordon, Vice-Chancellor of Ox-
ford, in a letter to "The Times"
this morning.

Mr. Gordon says that there is a
great body of opinion at Oxford
highly sensitive to the destruction
of Chinese universities, who have
been forced to migrate to the re-
mote West to carry on the tradi-
tion of Chinese education without
books and apparatus.

WU PEI-FU RUMOURS
DENIED

CHUNGKING, Jan. 28 (Central).—
A spokesman of General Wu
Pei-fu told press representatives
during an interview yesterday at
Feping, that current rumours
concerning the general were en-
tirely unfounded. General Wu, he
said, has never consented to head
any Japanese sponsored organ.

Hello & Goodbye

—BY A. W. HYER—

There were no outstanding events over the weekend maybe,
but anyone down along the wharf-side Saturday certainly found
plenty of "partying" going on for arrivals and departers.

Cabins and public saloons echoed with the gay and joyous
words "gambo!" "cheers!" "skool!" and "good luck!" And we have
come to the conclusion that the "Sea Dragon" personnel are en-
joying the daily goodbye parties so much, that each day means
another!

However, this spirit makes life
go round. It is all in fun and good
cheer, everybody has a good time
but the cabin and bar boys who
are fairly well broken in to the
wear and tear of this business.
Pan American Airways

CAPTAIN R. H. MOGLOHN put the
Philippine Clipper down on the
choppy bay waters, at 12.05 on
Saturday. The flight up from
Manila was very pleasant.

Hello again to Mr. E. Brewster
Buxton, the meteorologist of PAA
who keeps flying back and forth
between here and Guam.

Genial and smiling we found
Mr. Jerry Lamond of the American
Lead Pencil Company with head-
quarters in New York City. Busi-
ness brings him frequently to this
section of the country. Airplaning
across America and the Pacific is
just a jaunt. A few days here and
he sails to Shanghai, later return-
ing and Clipping home.

We believe the best looking Eng-
lishman out of the British Isles
landed in our Colony in the Clip-
per. Mr. Mark Watson, very tall
and handsome is travelling to see
what he can see. November he
departed from London, lands in
New York and leisurely flies across
the States. A Clipper brought him
over the Pacific on his first visit
to this land. Eventually he trav-
els to Java, by sea or by air he
is not decided, and after a short
visit in the south, flies home.

Mr. M. C. S. Tanuliong, manager
of the Luzon Industrial Corpora-
tion and honorary adviser to the
Chinese Y.M.C.A. in Manila comes
visiting to Hongkong on a short
business call. He reports the Clip-
per trip tops in comfort and speed.
The other passenger arriving
enriched us, the Mr. O. J. Fikes
of the Firestone Tire and Rubber Co.
in Manila.

DR. HARRY MILLER went Clip-
pering to San Francisco Sun-
day morning at 8.30 o'clock. He
was looking forward to a fine sky-
ride, fair expeditions and a hurried
interesting trip.

President Pierce

THE PRESIDENT Pierce got under
way 4.15 p.m. Saturday. Cap-
tain C. Jokstad, who by the way
has his finger throughout the ship,
so to speak, gave us a big surprise
when he reviewed the improve-
ments made by the new American
President Line Co. to these steam-
ers.

An entirely new factory for the
shipwrecked passengers in the
radio, sending and receiving set
which is installed in each lifeboat
on the "Pierce." Another feature
in this regard is the electrical ap-
paratus for the lowering of life-
boats, it is much safer and elimi-
nates many accidents. The
tail, efficient and cordial Captain
also gave us an "eye full" when
he explained the automatic fire
detecting devices; the sprinkler
system, having a nozzle every eight
feet through the ship and the au-
tomatic fire alarms. Thirty-two
fire bulkheads have been installed
and a loud-speaking system com-
municates messages from the bridge
to all sections of the steamer.

American President Line is out
to set a record, not only will their
new vessels, being built in America,
be the best on the waters, but the
reorganization of personnel on
land and sea will be supervised
with a strong hand in a velvet
glove, such as that of Captain
Jokstad's.

Mr. John R. Stark's address is
Malayan Gutta. However, he has
many welcome mats out for him
in the Colony. After a short visit
here, he sailed on the President
Pierce for San Francisco. It is all
business.

Singapore is where Mr. O. A.
Lund arrived from. This gentle-
man is another business executive
passing through on his way to
America, and from the sounds com-
ing through his cabin door he was
all set for a glorious journey.

A group of outstanding interest
is headed by Professor Kiang
Kang-hu. Nineteen artists are un-
der his supervision and these peo-
ple from Hongkong will participate
at the San Francisco and New
York Fairs.

The Professor, leader of the Chi-
nese Socialist Party and a pro-
minent Chinese scholar of to-day,
is well-known on the North Ameri-
can Continent. McGill University
in Montreal was privileged with
Professor Kiang's talent in the

Chopper Used
In Attack On
Japanese ManASSAILANT UNDER
OBSERVATION

A Japanese, named Hiyoshi
Sagara, 34 or 35 years of age,
who has been a resident of
Hongkong for the last 20 or so
years, was the victim of an
attack with a chopper as he
was taking a meal at the Char
Heung Sui Restaurant at 51,
Hennessy Road, on Saturday
night.

Sagara was attacked in full
sight of at least a dozen people.
He was severely wounded about
the neck and wrist and now is
lying in the Queen Mary Hospital,
where his condition late last night
was reported as yet being critical.
The alleged assailant is a res-
taurant fook, named Li Ping-chuen,
about 22 years of age, at the time
of the attack is said to have be-
haved in a manner suggestive of
his being aware of the presence of
the other customers in the res-
taurant.

It is stated that he told
them not to be afraid and to
carry on with their drinks and
food as he was "only taking
his revenge on the Japanese
people for the death of his
mother and relatives."

Li is now under observation at
the Queen Mary Hospital where he
is also being treated for lacerated
hands.

When the attack occurred short-
ly before midnight the diners
were not at first aware of it, and
Sagara had already been hacked
at several times before a Chinese,
named Young, seized hold of and
plunged the assailant's arms
behind his back. It is reported
by eye-witnesses that the assailant
had told Young to release him as
he would not attempt to run
away.

Sagara, who resides above the
Sui Sing Company, 25, Hennessy
Road, is suffering from multiple
chopper wounds not one of which
is necessarily fatal in itself. He
has, however, suffered much loss
of blood and his eventual recovery
is very uncertain.

ARMAMENTS
FRAUD

LONDON, Jan. 28 (Reuter).—
Fred Willing, describing himself as
a Dutch subject of British descent,
gave evidence yesterday at the re-
sumed hearing of the trial, in
which, he, his son James, and
Denis Michael Corrigan are charged
with attempting to defraud an
armaments firm of £7,250.

Speaking of the arms deal,
Willing said he was furious when
his son informed him that Lafitte's
£5,250 had been handed to Corri-
gan in cash against Shu's receipt.
Counsel for James Willing, ad-
dressing the jury, said they should
not be too influenced by the "arms
racket being an unsavoury and un-
pleasant trade," or whether the
ultimate destination of the arms
was China, General Franco, or
Madrid.

The trial was adjourned until
January 30, when it is expected to
finish.

AIR MAILS

Two planes the Delphinus and
Della of Imperial Airways will
leave Kai Tak Tuesday at 7
and 7.30 a.m. with mail for all
ports. The Delphinus will arrive on Wed-
nesday afternoon from Bangkok
with mail and passengers from all
ports.

The Air France plane from Hanoi
is due to arrive per schedule on
Thursday, noon, at Kai Tak.
The scheduled arrival of the
China Clipper, Pan American Air-
ways' is on February 8, at noon.
The return flight will be made on
February 9, in the morning.

LAND RESUMED

It is notified that the portion of
Ko Shing Street, comprising 4,362
square feet and bounded by Nos.
9 to 25 Ko Shing Street on the
north side and by Nos. 28 to 44
on the south side, is required for
a public purpose and will be re-
sumed on the expiration of one
month from the date of the post-
ing of this notice on the said land
and that thereupon such compen-
sation will be paid as may be
awarded in the manner provided
by the Crown Lands Resumption
Ordinance, 1900, as amended by
the Crown Lands Resumption
Amendment Ordinance, 1930.

this year he will be back. But
there is a motive in his madness,
such as a 45-foot sailing yacht to
be built here and which he intends
to sail on around the world. The
man loves his sailing!

SEVENTH ANNIVERSARY OF SINO-JAPANESE WAR

Observation In Chungking And Shanghai: Chinese Take Vegetable Diet

CHUNGKING, JANUARY 29 (CENTRAL)—SHANGHAI SOLENNLY OBSERVED YESTERDAY the 7th anniversary of the Sino-Japanese hostilities in the port city in 1932.

The national flag was hoisted at half-mast at all Chinese shops, schools and organisations in the International Settlement and the French Concession. The Chinese observed a three-minute silence at noon and many of them took a vegetable diet for the day.

CHAMBERLAIN'S SPEECH

(Continued From Page 1)

potential enemies but rather as human beings like ourselves with whom we are always prepared to talk terms of equality with an open mind and hear their points of view and satisfy, as far as we can, any reasonable aspirations that they may cherish, and which do not conflict with the general rights of others to liberty and justice.

"In that way alone we shall remove these eternal suspicions that poison the international atmosphere and get back our security of mind and that confidence which is the life blood of any successful enterprise."

ONLY ONE TO MAKE WAR

"We cannot forget that, though it takes at least two to make peace, one can make war," and until we have some clear understandings in which all political tension is swept away, we must put ourselves in the position to defend ourselves against attack, whether upon our land, our people or the principles of freedom which to us seem to enshrine the highest attributes of human life and spirit."

"It is for this purpose, the purpose of defence and not attack, that we are pursuing the task of re-arming, with unrelenting vigour and with the full approval of the country. It has taken us a long time but progress is now being made more rapidly every day in all directions."

NEW WARSHIPS READY

Mr. Chamberlain then detailed the progress made in all branches of the Services during the year ending on March 31. Sixty new warships, with a total tonnage of 130,000 tons will have been added to the Navy and for the ensuing twelve months the addition will be even larger, namely about 75 ships of 150,000 tons.

The Air Force is also going ahead at an equally remarkable rate. In the last few months the rate of aircraft production has been doubled and good progress has also been made in recruiting.

The defences in anti-aircraft defence apparent last September have largely been removed and the position has been very greatly improved, not only in regard to the increase in the number of guns but also in the matter of organisation.

OPPORTUNITY FOR SERVICE

Elaborating on his national service broadcast, the Prime Minister said, "If we should ever be involved in war we may well find that if we are not all in the firing line we will be in the line of fire. And in meeting that danger there is a new opportunity for service, by the civilian population, in the various branches of civil defence. We are not seeking to build up a large civil defence force to be embodied in time of war like a professional army. Our task is to find people for certain definite jobs, and not find jobs for the whole people."

Concluding, Mr. Chamberlain said that he regretted it should be necessary to devote so much time and such a vast proportion of the revenue of the country to warlike preparations.

"NOW IS THE TIME"

"I feel that now is the time the others should make a contribution," he said. "To-day the air is full of rumours and suspicions which ought not to be allowed to exist, for peace could only be endangered by such a challenge as envisaged by the President of the United States in his New Year message, namely the demand to dominate the world by force."

"That is a demand which, as the President and myself already declared, democracies must inevitably resist."

"I cannot believe that such a challenge is intended, for the consequences of war would be so grave that no government would lightly embark on it. Moreover, I remain convinced that there are no differences, however serious, that cannot be solved without recourse

TO KEEP U.S. AT PEACE

Mr. Sumner Welles On World To-day

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (Reuter)—The Assistant Secretary of State, Mr. Sumner Welles, in an address to the Bar Association yesterday, declared:

"In this gravely serious and disquieting moment of our modern civilisation the major objective of the Administration's policy is to keep the United States at peace."

"At the same time the American Government and people reserve the right to protest and condemn the cruel and inhuman treatment of human beings wherever brutality occurs."

RIGHT RESERVED

They had also made it clear, Mr. Welles said, that they would exercise the right, if necessary, to challenge the foreign policy of any other nation which threatened the peace and security of the United States or which resulted in violation of the treaty rights of the United States or one of its nationals.

Turning to the Far East, Mr. Welles declared the United States was ready to join all nations having a direct interest in that quarter of the world, including China and Japan, in discussion of any proposal based on reason and justice which might be advanced for modification or elimination of existing treaty provisions.

VISIT TO JAPAN

Former C-in-C Makes Proposal

LONDON, Jan. 28 (Reuter)—The recently mooted suggestion that Mr. Neville Chamberlain or Lord Halifax should visit Japan, is the theme of a letter from Admiral Sir Howard Kelly, commander-in-chief, China Station, from 1931 to 1933, which appears in the "Daily Telegraph" to-day.

Admiral Kelly says that it is obviously impossible for members of the Government at present to leave London for a prolonged period.

OPTIMISTIC ABOUT RESULT

However, he says, nothing but good would come of the visit of a small unofficial delegation of such status that it could discuss matters on terms of equality with Japanese Ministers—not representing the British Government but voicing the "general opinion of the British people."

Admiral Kelly suggests that a statesman of the calibre of Earl Baldwin should head the delegation.

He would feel very optimistic of the possibilities of peace ensuing from a visit of this sort.

REFUGEES POURING INTO FRANCE FROM SPAIN

Men Of Military Age Not Allowed Over Frontier

PARIS, JAN. 29 (REUTERS)—THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS HAS DECIDED that if any of the Republican troops arriving in France expressed the desire to return to Franco territory they should be allowed to do so. Others are to be retained in camps in France.

It is believed that the Pope and other eminent personalities have appealed to General Franco to use clemency and make a declaration enabling civilian refugees to return to Spain without any fear of retaliation.

Thousands of refugees, mostly women and children, are now massing along the six-mile frontier stretch between La Jonquera and L'Esperthus and two columns of Republican troops, each six thousand strong, are reported to be making for the French frontier town of Pratsdemollo.

Over one thousand refugees, including two hundred militia men, crossed the frontier at L'Esperthus and they have been sent by train to the interior.

TERRIBLE RAID ON KONGMOON

KONGMOON, Jan. 29 (Inf)—Kongmoon experienced one of the most terrible air raids by Japanese planes last Thursday. Tons of explosives were dropped in the heart of the city and the bund. Rows of houses collapsed and it is feared that over 200 persons have been killed and an untold number wounded. All the hospitals are full of victims.

NEW AIRCRAFT FACTORY OPENED AT READING

Changes In Civil Air Guard: Group Of Three Classes

LONDON, Jan. 28 (BWS)—Sir Kingsley Wood opened a new aircraft factory at Reading yesterday, erection of which began less than six months ago and which will initially be engaged in fulfilling one of the biggest orders ever given for trainer aircraft.

This is the Government's order for Miles Master two-seater monoplanes, the world's fastest trainer aircraft, with a maximum speed of about 270 m.p.h.

HEAVY FIGHTING IN SHANSI

Chinese Recapture Chihshien

CHUNGKING, Jan. 29 (Reuter)—Heavy fighting in south Shansi continues, according to Chinese dispatches. It is stated that Japanese forces at Chihshien, westward of Linfeng, pushed westward towards the Yellow River crossing it a fortnight ago. The main body of Chinese troops on the east bank of the Yellow River withdrew to the Shensi side in the vicinity of Yichuan.

Meanwhile they are blasting the ice in the Yellow River with dynamite.

The reports add that when the Japanese attempted to cross the river, Chinese defenders on the opposite bank repulsed them with heavy machine-gun fire.

Another detachment of Chinese troops, attacked the Japanese from the rear with the result that the Chinese recaptured Chihshien and Hsianning, the Japanese retreating towards Chianshan southward of Houma.

CHINESE JOURNALIST HONOURED

KWEIYANG, Jan. 28 (Central)—For his unflinching loyalty to his country, Mr. Fang Tsang-lang, former reporter of the "Wuhan Daily News," who recently escaped from Japanese hands in Tientsin, was highly commended by the Central Publicity Department in a special order to-day. A grant of \$200 was also given to Mr. Fang.

Mr. Fang was captured by the Japanese at Hsuehchow when the city fell into Japanese hands last year. The Japanese forced him to work for them under threat of death, but Mr. Fang remained unmoved. He was later brought to Tientsin by the Japanese, but managed recently to escape to Kweiyang.

NEW AIR LINES

CHUNGKING, Jan. 29 (Reuter)—The Eurasia Aviation Corporation to-day inaugurated new air lines from Chungking to Sian, from Lanchow to Lanchow, also from Lanchow to Sining, thus opening up passenger and mail service between Chungking and important points in China's north-west provinces.

The Secretary for Air took the opportunity to announce changes affecting the Civil Air Guard, 1,400 licence holders in which—all those qualifying in future—will be grouped in three classes according to the type of service they might render in war.

Flying and training subsidies will also be increased, but in view of the original 36,000 applications, the ban on new applications announced some time ago must be maintained for the present.

Sir Kingsley also referred to the measures taken by the Air Ministry to broaden the basis of aircraft production including further development of wooden construction.

WHOLESALE PRODUCTION

Eight firms, he said, were now engaged on production of considerable numbers of wooden or composite aircraft.

The Air Ministry, it was announced in London, has completed arrangements for extra training for members of the Civil Air Guard in addition to their annual training.

REFUGEES FOR FRANCE

Streams Pour In Over Border

PERPIGNAN, Jan. 28 (Reuter)—Streams of refugees are entering France, and it is expected that 15,000 more will attempt to cross the frontier.

The French Government is reinforcing the troops on the frontier, while an international committee, for child refugees is opening canteens just inside Spanish territory for the relief of distress.

The Spanish President, Dr. Juan Negrin, broadcast an address last night.

WILL SURVIVE DISASTER

He said that fresh reserves of men and material, which had arrived too late to defend Barcelona, would now be put into operation, and he was confident the Government would survive the disaster.

The Spanish Cabinet met last night, and measures which will be of unusual interest are expected to be announced shortly.

The Nationalists claim to be making further progress in their advance northward from Barcelona, and say they have occupied points fourteen miles away.

CHINA'S FOREIGN POLICY BASIC PRINCIPLES

CHUNGKING, Jan. 29 (Inf)—As regards China's foreign policy, the Central Government has adhered to five basic principles to establish national independence through resistance.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs will make three appeals.

Firstly, to urge the League of Nations and the Nine-Power Treaty signatories to carry out their obligations; secondly, to urge the responsible Powers to uphold international law and order and to discharge their duties under treaties; and thirdly, to adjust the internal diplomatic organs and officials so as to obtain the best efforts, and to improve close relations among the friendly nations.

SUNDAY CRICKET AT KING'S PARK

Zowloon Cricket Club met with a surprise defeat when they entertained Police Recreation Club in a whole-day friendly cricket match at King's Park yesterday.

Scores—K.C.C. 73 (N. A. E. Mackay 18, W. L. McKenzie 12; Pope 5 for 26, A. E. Carey 3 for 19). Police 196 (W. L. Clark 65 not out, L. Oakley 35, A. E. Carey 19; MacFarlane 5 for 48). Police actually won by four wickets.

VOLUNTEERS WIN

In another all-day match at King's Park the Volunteers beat Royal Navy by five wickets. Navy batted first and made 143. The visitors passed this score for the loss of five wickets. George Souza had 36 and L. T. Ride 24.

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NATIONAL GOVERNMENT CHANGES ANNOUNCED

Lord Strathcona Resigns As Junior Minister

LONDON, Jan. 28 (Reuter)—Changes in the National Government, foreshadowed for some time past, were officially announced to-night. They significantly include the resignation of one of the Junior Ministers, Lord Chatfield, as foreshadowed becomes Minister for Co-ordination of Defence, and Sir Thomas Inskip takes over the Dominions Office.

Major Sir Reginald Dorman-Smith is appointed Minister of Agriculture, and Mr. W. S. Morrison becomes Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, in place of Lord Winterton, who is appointed Paymaster-General, a non-salaried post.

Lord Munster, the former Paymaster-General, succeeds Lord Strathcona, Under-Secretary for War, who has resigned.

Lord Chatfield displaces Sir Thomas Inskip. Lord Chatfield was formerly First Sea Lord and Chief of Naval Staff, a post which he relinquished last year.

BURDEN LIGHTENED

Sir Thomas Inskip, in changing to the Dominions Office, takes a load off the shoulders of the over-worked Mr. Malcolm Macdonald, who has been concurrently Dominions and Colonial Secretary.

NEW DEFENCE MINISTER

Significant feature of the changes in the Government is the resignation of Lord Strathcona, one of the Junior Ministers who have been in revolt against their department chiefs for some weeks past.

Lord Strathcona has publicly criticised his chief, Mr. Leslie Hore-Belisha, who has been blamed for the chaotic condition of the anti-aircraft defences.

AMBASSADOR LEAVING FOR TIENTSIN

CHUNGKING, Jan. 28 (Central)—A Tientsin dispatch received here to-day states that Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, British Ambassador to China, will leave Shanghai on Tuesday for Tientsin. Sir Archibald will travel by a British naval vessel.

The purpose of the British envoy's visit, it is understood, is to investigate trade conditions of the North China port and also to inspect the British Concession there.

APPEAL FOR PEACE AND CO-OPERATION

Broadcast Message In German

LONDON, Jan. 28 (Reuter)—An eloquent appeal for peace and co-operation among nations, over the signatures of nearly a score of public men eminent in diverse fields of activity, has been issued to the press and broadcast in German.

The statement says: "A spirit of uneasiness broods over the world. Men and women in every country are uncertain what the next weeks and months may bring."

"They see huge armaments piling up on every side. They see plans being made for civilian defence, and they realise only too vividly that war under modern conditions between highly organised states can bring no good but only death and destruction to countless homes irrespective of age or sex."

CIVILISATION THREATENED

"They see our civilisation, to which men and women of all classes and in all countries have contributed, threatened with the greatest catastrophe in human history."

"WE STAND FOR PEACE"

"It is time, if we are not to be too late, that men of goodwill who value the fruits of civilisation, who have no hatred or spirit of revenge in their hearts and so desire in all sense to live on terms of friendship with their fellow-men in every country, should speak across the frontiers to those who feel as they do in order that they may use to-

gether their gifts of heart and mind to co-operate in preventing the supreme catastrophe and in breaking down the artificial barriers of hatred by which we are in danger of being divided."

"We in Britain have no desire to dictate to others. While resolutely determined to maintain our own liberty we stand for peace—a peace of equality for all and of justice for all."

APPEAL TO ALL

"We stand for the rule of law in relations between nations, the only basis on which our civilisation can be preserved."

"We recognise that no civilisation, if it is to survive, can be static, but no nation will find a lasting solution of its problems save in a spirit of co-operation with others."

"We appeal above all to the leaders and people in the Great German Reich at this moment of Power and influence in their history."

CRICKET LEAGUE

CLUB DE RECREIO, OUT FOR 68, WIN MATCH

Bertram Lay Scores Century In Second Division

A great win by Club de Recreio, who, after getting put out for 68 by the Civil Service Cricket Club, dismissed their hosts for 59 runs; a strangle fielding and batting collapse on the part of the Indian Recreation Club that nearly brought them defeat in their game with Craigengower; and a last-over win by Kowloon over the Army featured the senior league cricket programme on Saturday.

In the second division, Army and K.C.C. were featured in a very high-scoring game from which the latter emerged winners. Craigengower were beaten by Recreio in a match which totalled only 125 runs. Navy and Club drew, and Varsity beat Civil Service.

Results and summarized scores follow:

League I

Craigengower and the Indians drew at Happy Valley:—C.C.C. 148 (G. Souza 45; A. R. Miny 4 for 54).

I.R.C. 87 for 9 (A. H. Madar 22).

Club beat Navy by nine wickets:—

Navy 156 for 7 decl. (Capt. Whitmarsh 50 not out, Holdsworth 33; G. P. Lingsfield 4 for 37).

Club 150 for one wkt. (H. Owen-Hughes 64 not out, T. A. Pearce 37 not out, L. T. Ride 41).

K.C.C. beat Army by 34 runs at King's Park:—

K.C.C. 165 for 7 decl. (D. Anderson 41, G. C. Burnett 32).

Army 131 (Dr. Logan 51; Major Murray 29; Anderson 7 for 28).

Club de Recreio beat Civil Service by nine runs at Happy Valley:—

Recreio 68 (G. A. Gutierrez 27 not out, H. L. Ozorio 14; A. E. Perry 6 for 22).

Civil Service 59 (A. T. Lay 22; E. L. Gosano 5 for 18, H. L. Ozorio 5 for 37).

League II

Kowloon Cricket Club beat Army "B" by five wickets:—

Army "B" 191 (Cpl. Webb 51, Spr. Ratcliffe 75 not out, Lt. Hook 20).

Kowloon 213 for 5 wickets (B.D. Lay 111 not out).

Club and Navy drew at Chater Road:—

Club 196 (H. J. Armstrong 96, C. W. E. Bishop 81, N. P. Fox 31, Wood 4 for 60).

KOWLOON CRICKET CLUB BOWLS WIN

Kowloon Cricket Club entertained Civil Service Cricket Club to a friendly lawn bowls game on Saturday, winning by ten shots.

Scores:—

W. Hobbs, W. Nash, A. Spary and W. W. Hirst (K.C.C.) lost to E. Purvis, S. Eccleshall, E. W. Simmonds, and M. N. Rakusen 9-30.

W. Naef, W. T. French, J. Hyde and R. Craig (K.C.C.) beat R. R. Davies, V. Ebbage, R. R. Wood and J. Deakin 24-16.

V. C. Labrum, J. Smith, C. J. Tacchi, E. Kern (K.C.C.) beat J. Purvis, A. Allen, L. A. Collier and J. Hollidge 32-9.

HOME FOOTBALL

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| Aston Villa | 25 | 10 | 4 | 11 | 42 | 39 | 24 |
| Preston N.E. | 25 | 9 | 6 | 10 | 37 | 39 | 24 |
| Blackpool | 26 | 7 | 8 | 11 | 31 | 44 | 22 |
| Chelsea | 25 | 8 | 5 | 12 | 45 | 49 | 21 |
| Huddersfield | 26 | 8 | 5 | 13 | 36 | 40 | 21 |
| Brentford | 24 | 7 | 6 | 11 | 33 | 50 | 20 |
| Leicester | 26 | 6 | 8 | 12 | 21 | 49 | 20 |
| Portsmouth | 24 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 24 | 43 | 20 |
| Birmingham | 26 | 7 | 4 | 15 | 53 | 41 | 18 |

SECOND DIVISION

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| Blackburn | 28 | 16 | 3 | 9 | 68 | 43 | 35 |
| Sheffield U. | 26 | 11 | 11 | 4 | 44 | 38 | 33 |
| Coventry | 25 | 14 | 4 | 7 | 43 | 26 | 32 |
| Wednesday | 25 | 13 | 5 | 7 | 63 | 43 | 31 |
| Newcastle | 26 | 13 | 5 | 8 | 44 | 28 | 31 |
| West Brom | 25 | 13 | 4 | 8 | 64 | 48 | 30 |
| Fulham | 25 | 12 | 6 | 7 | 42 | 31 | 30 |
| Manchester C. | 25 | 13 | 3 | 9 | 67 | 53 | 29 |
| Luton | 26 | 12 | 4 | 10 | 51 | 45 | 28 |
| Tottenham | 25 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 42 | 37 | 28 |
| Burnley | 27 | 10 | 8 | 9 | 36 | 37 | 28 |
| Chesterfield | 25 | 11 | 5 | 9 | 40 | 37 | 27 |
| West Ham | 25 | 10 | 6 | 9 | 46 | 35 | 26 |
| Plymouth | 26 | 10 | 5 | 11 | 34 | 31 | 25 |
| Millwall | 25 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 40 | 35 | 24 |
| Bradford | 27 | 8 | 8 | 11 | 46 | 58 | 24 |
| Bury | 27 | 7 | 9 | 11 | 38 | 47 | 23 |
| Southampton | 25 | 7 | 6 | 12 | 34 | 49 | 20 |
| Swansea | 25 | 4 | 10 | 11 | 28 | 48 | 18 |
| Notts Forest | 25 | 5 | 6 | 14 | 31 | 60 | 16 |
| Norwich | 24 | 7 | 1 | 16 | 27 | 58 | 15 |
| Tranmere | 27 | 4 | 3 | 20 | 29 | 70 | 11 |

THIRD DIVISION—NORTH

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| P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts. | | | | | | | |
| Barnsley | 27 | 19 | 4 | 4 | 61 | 25 | 42 |
| Southport | 24 | 14 | 7 | 3 | 55 | 27 | 35 |
| Bradford C. | 26 | 15 | 3 | 8 | 59 | 34 | 33 |
| Doncaster | 25 | 12 | 9 | 4 | 48 | 30 | 33 |
| Oldham | 26 | 15 | 2 | 9 | 50 | 39 | 32 |
| Crewe | 26 | 15 | 1 | 10 | 65 | 41 | 31 |
| Hull | 25 | 12 | 5 | 8 | 57 | 46 | 29 |
| Stockport | 24 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 54 | 43 | 27 |
| N. Brighton | 27 | 11 | 5 | 11 | 44 | 46 | 27 |
| Rotherham | 27 | 11 | 4 | 12 | 44 | 45 | 26 |
| Sheff. Wed. | 27 | 10 | 5 | 12 | 59 | 50 | 25 |
| Rochdale | 23 | 10 | 5 | 8 | 53 | 25 | 25 |
| Chester | 27 | 11 | 3 | 13 | 44 | 49 | 25 |
| Barrow | 26 | 9 | 7 | 10 | 27 | 32 | 25 |
| Halifax | 27 | 10 | 4 | 13 | 39 | 54 | 24 |
| Wrexham | 26 | 9 | 5 | 12 | 45 | 62 | 23 |
| Darlington | 26 | 7 | 8 | 11 | 42 | 55 | 22 |
| Lincoln | 25 | 8 | 5 | 12 | 39 | 65 | 21 |
| Carlisle | 25 | 7 | 6 | 12 | 42 | 49 | 20 |
| Gateshead | 26 | 7 | 5 | 14 | 37 | 59 | 19 |
| York | 27 | 6 | 4 | 17 | 35 | 65 | 16 |
| Hartlepool | 26 | 2 | 4 | 20 | 24 | 55 | 8 |

THIRD DIVISION—SOUTH

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| P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts. | | | | | | | |
| Newport | 25 | 16 | 4 | 5 | 40 | 26 | 38 |
| Crystal P. | 25 | 13 | 6 | 6 | 46 | 33 | 32 |
| Brighton | 25 | 13 | 4 | 8 | 44 | 33 | 30 |
| Aldershot | 25 | 11 | 8 | 6 | 32 | 29 | 30 |
| Reading | 26 | 9 | 10 | 7 | 42 | 35 | 28 |
| Notts C. | 23 | 11 | 5 | 7 | 32 | 23 | 27 |
| Queen's P.R. | 25 | 10 | 7 | 8 | 52 | 33 | 27 |
| Swindon | 25 | 11 | 5 | 9 | 48 | 42 | 27 |
| Northampton | 26 | 12 | 3 | 11 | 37 | 38 | 27 |

COLONY RUGBY SIDE SHINE

Rest Beaten Easily In Practice Game

Hongkong should have no hard task with Malaya judging from their display on Saturday against the Rest of the Colony at Causeway Bay, when the emerged winners by a score of 34 points to 9.

The three quarter-line was very strong, and with good support from the forwards found the Rest's goal-line time after time again.

TEAMS

Club 1st XV:—E. M. Watts; D. H. Stewart, H. D. Bidwell, W. E. Grieve and G. K. Chadwick; M. W. McGrath and J. R. Henderson; K. A. Watson, K. W. Salter, Dr. E. W. Stout, A. F. Wallden, W. E. Peers; J. Redman, A. J. G. Taylor and W. B. Richardson.

The Rest:—L/Cpl. Nealan; F. O. Thomas, L/Cpl. Boe, Ldg. Sea. Stead and Lt. Wheble; Lt. Potter and R. Rutherford; Sub. Lt. Hain, Cpl. Morgan, Wrtr. Packer; Sub. Lt. Culmer, L/Cpl. Sutherland; L/Sgt. Page, Pte. Berry and Lt. N. H. Cuthbertson.

THIRD DIVISION—NORTH

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| P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts. | | | | | | | |
| Watford | 26 | 9 | 6 | 11 | 42 | 33 | 26 |
| Bristol C. | 26 | 9 | 6 | 11 | 40 | 41 | 24 |
| Cardiff | 24 | 9 | 6 | 9 | 33 | 37 | 24 |
| Mansfield | 24 | 9 | 5 | 10 | 29 | 42 | 23 |
| Exeter | 21 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 49 | 64 | 23 |
| Bristol R. | 25 | 7 | 7 | 11 | 31 | 28 | 21 |
| Ipswich | 23 | 8 | 5 | 10 | 28 | 32 | 21 |
| Clapton O. | 24 | 6 | 7 | 11 | 27 | 31 | 21 |
| Torquay | 24 | 8 | 5 | 11 | 32 | 29 | 21 |
| Bournemouth | 24 | 8 | 7 | 11 | 28 | 38 | 21 |
| Port Vale | 24 | 8 | 4 | 12 | 31 | 34 | 20 |
| Southend | 21 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 38 | 41 | 20 |
| Walsall | 24 | 4 | 5 | 15 | 21 | 38 | 13 |

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

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| P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts. | | | | | | | |
| Rangers | 27 | 20 | 5 | 3 | 94 | 45 | 45 |
| Hearts | 28 | 15 | 4 | 8 | 75 | 47 | 36 |
| Aberdeen | 28 | 15 | 5 | 8 | 73 | 47 | 35 |
| Celtic | 27 | 13 | 7 | 7 | 76 | 39 | 33 |
| Hamilton | 28 | 14 | 4 | 10 | 58 | 48 | 32 |
| Queen's O.S. | 28 | 13 | 6 | 9 | 49 | 47 | 32 |
| Falkirk | 28 | 13 | 5 | 10 | 56 | 51 | 31 |
| Kilmarnock | 27 | 12 | 7 | 8 | 53 | 55 | 31 |
| Motherwell | 28 | 12 | 5 | 11 | 63 | 60 | 29 |
| Clyde | 27 | 13 | 2 | 12 | 59 | 54 | 28 |
| Hibernian | 28 | 12 | 4 | 12 | 58 | 53 | 28 |
| Partick | 27 | 12 | 3 | 12 | 48 | 59 | 27 |
| St. Johnstone | 28 | 11 | 4 | 13 | 59 | 69 | 26 |
| Third Lan. | 27 | 9 | 7 | 11 | 54 | 70 | 25 |
| Ayr U. | 28 | 8 | 7 | 13 | 63 | 64 | 23 |
| St. Mirren | 28 | 8 | 6 | 14 | 42 | 57 | 22 |
| Queen's Park | 27 | 8 | 4 | 15 | 40 | 59 | 20 |
| Arbroath | 27 | 6 | 7 | 15 | 34 | 81 | 19 |
| Raith R. | 28 | 7 | 2 | 19 | 52 | 78 | 16 |
| Albion | 28 | 6 | 4 | 18 | 44 | 76 | 16 |

CRICKET

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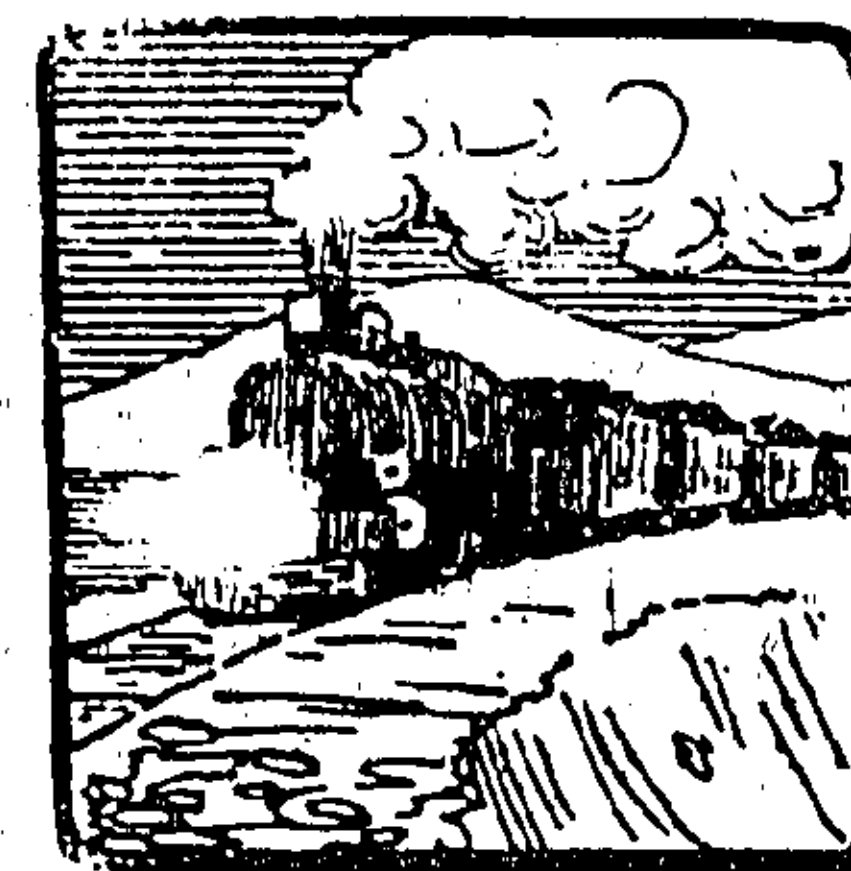
Kitchell stayed with Madar for 34 minutes to add 31 runs, but at 5.40 Souza held him off A.K. Ismail. Thereafter it became a question of whether the home side could get out Madar quickly enough to run through the tail.

Madar held on for eight more minutes till he fell to an extraordinary catch by Ernest Zimmerman. The utility of his innings cannot be measured by the 22 runs he scored.

That made it 7 for 78. Ismail All joined "Putty" Ismail who was apparently perfectly happy. At 5.58 (according to the score-book, though, as above, I made it 80 seconds to six o'clock) All got out. The end I have already described.

A summarised reflection of this game would seem to show that whereas the Indians at one stage looked probable winners, they wound up by being lucky indeed not to have lost.

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| HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG | ... "KANCHOW" ... | On 7th Feb., 2 p.m. |
| AMOI & SHANGHAI | ... "TSINAN" ... | On 7th Feb., 5 p.m. |
| SWATOW SAIGON & HONGKONG | ... "KWEIYANG" ... | On 8th Feb., 10 a.m. |
| SWATOW & SHANGHAI | ... "SINKIANG" ... | On 8th Feb., 11 a.m. |
| KWANGCHOW (FORT BAYARD) | ... | ... |
| HONGKONG & HAIPHONG | ... "KIANGSU" ... | On 10th Feb., 2 p.m. |
| SWATOW, FOCHOW, TIENTSIN | ... | ... |
| W.H.W., CHEFOO & TIENTSIN | ... | ... |
| AMOI & SHANGHAI | ... "HUPEH" ... | On 11th Feb., 10 a.m. |
| SWATOW & SHANGHAI | ... "SOOCHOW" ... | On 11th Feb., 5 p.m. |
| KWANGCHOW (FORT BAYARD) | ... "SHANTUNG" ... | On 12th Feb., 10 a.m. |
| HAIPHONG & "JEAN DUPUIS" | ... | On 14th Feb., 4 p.m. |

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| Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 8. | Neptuna, Gibb's, Feb. 8. |
| Behar, P. & O., Feb. 10. | Oder, Melchers, Feb. 17. |
| Buenos Aires Maru, O. S. K., Jan. 30. | Peiping, Gilman's, Jan. 31. |
| Burgeland, Johnson's, Feb. 10. | Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 2. |
| Canton, Gilman's, Feb. 14. | Pres. Doumer, Messageries, Feb. 15. |
| Change, B. & S., Feb. 7. | Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 16. |
| Conte Biancamano, L. Triestino, Feb. 18. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Cremar, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 7. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Crown City, Thoresen's, Feb. 11. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Cyclops, B. & S., Feb. 11. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., Feb. 9. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Esang, Jardine's, Jan. 30. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Eumaeus, B. & S., Jan. 30. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Felix Roussel, Messageries, Feb. 6. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 10. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 10. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Grote Maerk, Johnson's, Jan. 30. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 10. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Haruna Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 10. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Hosang, Jardine's, Feb. 8. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Hulda Maerk, Johnson's, Feb. 13. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| India, P. & O., Feb. 11. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Katori Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Lahore, P. & O., Jan. 31. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Mannion, B. & S., Feb. 12. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Nellore, E. & A. S. Co., Jan. 31. | Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 18. |

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| Canton Maru, O. S. K., Jan. 30. | Amoy |
| Taiyuan, B. & S., Jan. 31. | Canton Maru, O. S. K., Jan. 30. |
| Sagres, Douglas, Feb. 1. | Taiyuan, B. & S., Jan. 31. |
| Tjisaroea, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 1. | Sagres, Douglas, Feb. 1. |
| Kaying, B. & S., Feb. 4. | Tjisaroea, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 1. |
| Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 8. | Kaying, B. & S., Feb. 4. |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 7. | Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 8. |
| Canton Maru, O. S. K., Feb. 14. | Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 7. |
| Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Feb. 15. | Canton Maru, O. S. K., Feb. 14. |
| Mingsang, Jardine's, Jan. 30. | Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Feb. 15. |
| Esang, Jardine's, Feb. 1. | Mingsang, Jardine's, Jan. 30. |
| Rheinland, Johnson's, Feb. 1. | Esang, Jardine's, Feb. 1. |
| Pronto, Johnson's, Feb. 2. | Rheinland, Johnson's, Feb. 1. |
| Yatsing, Jardine's, Feb. 5. | Pronto, Johnson's, Feb. 2. |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 8. | Yatsing, Jardine's, Feb. 5. |
| Takang, Jardine's, Feb. 8. | Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 8. |
| Chuanchow | Takang, Jardine's, Feb. 8. |
| Taiyuan, B. & S., Jan. 31. | Chuanchow |
| Dairen | Taiyuan, B. & S., Jan. 31. |
| Patrolas, B. & S., Jan. 30. | Dairen |
| Rheinland, Johnson's, Feb. 1. | Patrolas, B. & S., Jan. 30. |
| Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 10. | Rheinland, Johnson's, Feb. 1. |
| Oder, Melchers, Feb. 17. | Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 10. |
| Talhybus, B. & S., Feb. 18. | Oder, Melchers, Feb. 17. |
| Fochow | Talhybus, B. & S., Feb. 18. |
| Sagres, Douglas, Feb. 1. | Fochow |
| Pronto, Johnson's, Feb. 2. | Sagres, Douglas, Feb. 1. |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 6. | Pronto, Johnson's, Feb. 2. |
| JAPAN | Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 6. |
| Kumaeus, B. & S., Jan. 30. | JAPAN |
| Rheinland, Johnson's, Feb. 1. | Kumaeus, B. & S., Jan. 30. |
| Santha, B. I. (Apar), Feb. 1. | Rheinland, Johnson's, Feb. 1. |
| Suisang, Jardine's, Feb. 5. | Santha, B. I. (Apar), Feb. 1. |
| Tanda, E. & A. S. Co., Feb. 3. | Suisang, Jardine's, Feb. 5. |
| Ranpura, P. & O., Feb. 3. | Tanda, E. & A. S. Co., Feb. 3. |
| India, E. A. Co., Feb. 3. | Ranpura, P. & O., Feb. 3. |
| Palabot, Thoresen's, Feb. 6. | India, E. A. Co., Feb. 3. |
| Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 8. | Palabot, Thoresen's, Feb. 6. |
| Emp. of Asia, C. P. S., Feb. 8. | Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 8. |
| Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 10. | Emp. of Asia, C. P. S., Feb. 8. |
| Gertrude Maerk, Johnson's, Feb. 10. | Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 10. |
| Cyclops, B. & S., Feb. 11. | Gertrude Maerk, Johnson's, Feb. 10. |
| Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 11. | Cyclops, B. & S., Feb. 11. |
| Mcmonn, B. & S., Feb. 12. | Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 11. |
| Falhybus, B. & S., Feb. 13. | Mcmonn, B. & S., Feb. 12. |
| Canton, Gilman's, Feb. 14. | Falhybus, B. & S., Feb. 13. |
| Pres. Doumer, Messageries, Feb. 15. | Canton, Gilman's, Feb. 14. |
| Taina, B. I. (Apar), Feb. 16. | Pres. Doumer, Messageries, Feb. 15. |
| Rawalpindi, P. & O., Feb. 17. | Taina, B. I. (Apar), Feb. 16. |
| Burdwan, P. & O., Feb. 18. | Rawalpindi, P. & O., Feb. 17. |
| Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 21. | Burdwan, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Scharnhorst, Melchers, Feb. 22. | Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 21. |
| Rupa, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 23. | Scharnhorst, Melchers, Feb. 22. |
| Pres. Taft, A. P. S., Feb. 25. | Rupa, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 23. |
| Grote Maerk, Johnson's, Feb. 27. | Pres. Taft, A. P. S., Feb. 25. |
| Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., March 8. | Grote Maerk, Johnson's, Feb. 27. |
| Keelung | Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., March 8. |
| Canton Maru, O. S. K., Jan. 30. | Keelung |
| Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 10. | Canton Maru, O. S. K., Jan. 30. |
| Canton Maru, O. S. K., Feb. 14. | Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 10. |
| Shanghai | Canton Maru, O. S. K., Feb. 14. |
| Mingsang, Jardine's, Jan. 30. | Shanghai |
| Patrolas, B. & S., Jan. 30. | Mingsang, Jardine's, Jan. 30. |
| Taiyuan, B. & S., Jan. 31. | Patrolas, B. & S., Jan. 30. |
| Kwangtung, B. & S., Feb. 1. | Taiyuan, B. & S., Jan. 31. |
| Tjisaroea, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 1. | Kwangtung, B. & S., Feb. 1. |
| Esang, Jardine's, Feb. 1. | Tjisaroea, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 1. |
| Rheinland, Johnson's, Feb. 1. | Esang, Jardine's, Feb. 1. |
| Pronto, Johnson's, Feb. 2. | Rheinland, Johnson's, Feb. 1. |
| Santha, B. I. (Apar), Feb. 1. | Pronto, Johnson's, Feb. 2. |
| Tanda, E. & A. S. Co., Feb. 3. | Santha, B. I. (Apar), Feb. 1. |
| Kingman, B. & S., Feb. 3. | Tanda, E. & A. S. Co., Feb. 3. |
| Ranpura, P. & O., Feb. 3. | Kingman, B. & S., Feb. 3. |
| India, E. A. Co., Feb. 3. | Ranpura, P. & O., Feb. 3. |
| Kaying, B. & S., Feb. 4. | India, E. A. Co., Feb. 3. |
| Yatsing, Jardine's, Feb. 5. | Kaying, B. & S., Feb. 4. |
| Talabot, Thoresen's, Feb. 6. | Yatsing, Jardine's, Feb. 5. |
| Teinan, B. & S., Feb. 7. | Talabot, Thoresen's, Feb. 6. |
| Takang, Jardine's, Feb. 8. | Teinan, B. & S., Feb. 7. |
| Sinkiang, B. & S., Feb. 8. | Takang, Jardine's, Feb. 8. |
| Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 8. | Sinkiang, B. & S., Feb. 8. |
| Emp. of Asia, C. P. S., Feb. 8. | Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 8. |
| Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 10. | Emp. of Asia, C. P. S., Feb. 8. |
| Oder, Melchers, Feb. 17. | Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 10. |
| Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 10. | Oder, Melchers, Feb. 17. |
| Cyclops, B. & S., Feb. 11. | Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 10. |
| Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 11. | Cyclops, B. & S., Feb. 11. |
| Mcmonn, B. & S., Feb. 12. | Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 11. |
| Stentor, B. & S., Feb. 12. | Mcmonn, B. & S., Feb. 12. |
| Pres. Doumer, Messageries, Feb. 15. | Stentor, B. & S., Feb. 12. |
| Taina, B. I. (Apar), Feb. 16. | Pres. Doumer, Messageries, Feb. 15. |
| Rawalpindi, P. & O., Feb. 17. | Taina, B. I. (Apar), Feb. 16. |
| Burdwan, P. & O., Feb. 18. | Rawalpindi, P. & O., Feb. 17. |
| Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 21. | Burdwan, P. & O., Feb. 18. |
| Scharnhorst, Melchers, Feb. 22. | Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 21. |
| Grote Maerk, Johnson's, Feb. 27. | Scharnhorst, Melchers, Feb. 22. |
| Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., March 8. | Grote Maerk, Johnson's, Feb. 27. |
| Hirani, Thoresen's, Jan. 30. | Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., March 8. |
| Anshun, B. & S., Jan. 31. | Hirani, Thoresen's, Jan. 30. |
| Sagres, Douglas, Feb. 1. | Anshun, B. & S., Jan. 31. |
| Kwangtung, B. & S., Feb. 1. | Sagres, Douglas, Feb. 1. |
| Esang, Jardine's, Feb. 1. | Kwangtung, B. & S., Feb. 1. |
| Pronto, Johnson's, Feb. 2. | Esang, Jardine's, Feb. 1. |
| Yatsing, Jardine's, Feb. 5. | Pronto, Johnson's, Feb. 2. |
| Anshun, B. & S., Feb. 5. | Yatsing, Jardine's, Feb. 5. |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 6. | Anshun, B. & S., Feb. 5. |
| Hellas, Thoresen's, Feb. 6. | Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 6. |
| Takang, Jardine's, Feb. 8. | Hellas, Thoresen's, Feb. 6. |
| Kewang, B. & S., Feb. 8. | Takang, Jardine's, Feb. 8. |
| Sinkiang, B. & S., Feb. 8. | Kewang, B. & S., Feb. 8. |
| Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Feb. 15. | Sinkiang, B. & S., Feb. 8. |
| Takao | Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Feb. 15. |
| Canton Maru, O. S. K., Jan. 30. | Takao |
| Canton Maru, O. S. K., Feb. 14. | Canton Maru, O. S. K., Jan. 30. |
| Taku | Canton Maru, O. S. K., Feb. 14. |
| Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 10. | Taku |
| Oder, Melchers, Feb. 17. | Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 10. |
| Tientsin | Oder, Melchers, Feb. 17. |
| Mingsang, Jardine's, Jan. 30. | Tientsin |
| Esang, Jardine's, Feb. 1. | Mingsang, Jardine's, Jan. 30. |
| Pronto, Johnson's, Feb. 2. | Esang, Jardine's, Feb. 1. |
| Yatsing, Jardine's, Feb. 5. | Pronto, Johnson's, Feb. 2. |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 8. | Yatsing, Jardine's, Feb. 5. |
| Takang, Jardine's, Feb. 8. | Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 8. |
| Tientsin | Takang, Jardine's, Feb. 8. |
| Rheinland, Johnson's, Feb. 1. | Tientsin |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 6. | Rheinland, Johnson's, Feb. 1. |
| Wei-Hai-Wei | Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 6. |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 6. | Wei-Hai-Wei |
| Haiching, Douglas, Jan. 29. | Yunnan, B. & S., Feb. 6. |

SOUTHWARD FROM HONGKONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA

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| Wainman, Jacobson's, Feb. 1. | |
| Sanchia, I. I. (Apar), Feb. 3 | |
| Singapore, Jardine's, Feb. 3 | |
| Tanda, E. & A. S. S. Co., Feb. 3. | |
| Raupe, P. & O., Feb. 3. | |
| India, E. A. Co., Feb. 3. | |
| Falabot, Thoresen's, Feb. 6. | |
| Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 8. | |
| Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 8. | |
| Hakoue Maru, Y. M. S. Co., Feb. 10. | |
| Gertrude Macric, Jebson's, Feb. 10. | |
| Cyclops, B. & S., Feb. 11. | |
| Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 11. | |
| Mennon, B. & S., Feb. 12. | |
| Faltheby, B. & S., Feb. 13. | |
| Canton, C. A. N., Jan. 30. | |
| Fris. Donner, Messageries, Feb. 13. | |
| Talma, B. I. (Apar), Feb. 16. | |
| Rawalpindi, P. & O., Feb. 17. | |
| Burdwan, P. & O., Feb. 18. | |
| Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 21. | |
| Scharnhorst, Melchers, Feb. 22. | |
| Burg, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 22. | |
| Protus, Johnson's, Feb. 22. | |
| Free Taff, A. P. S., Feb. 26. | |
| Grote Maerk, Jebson's, Feb. 27. | |
| Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., March 8. | |

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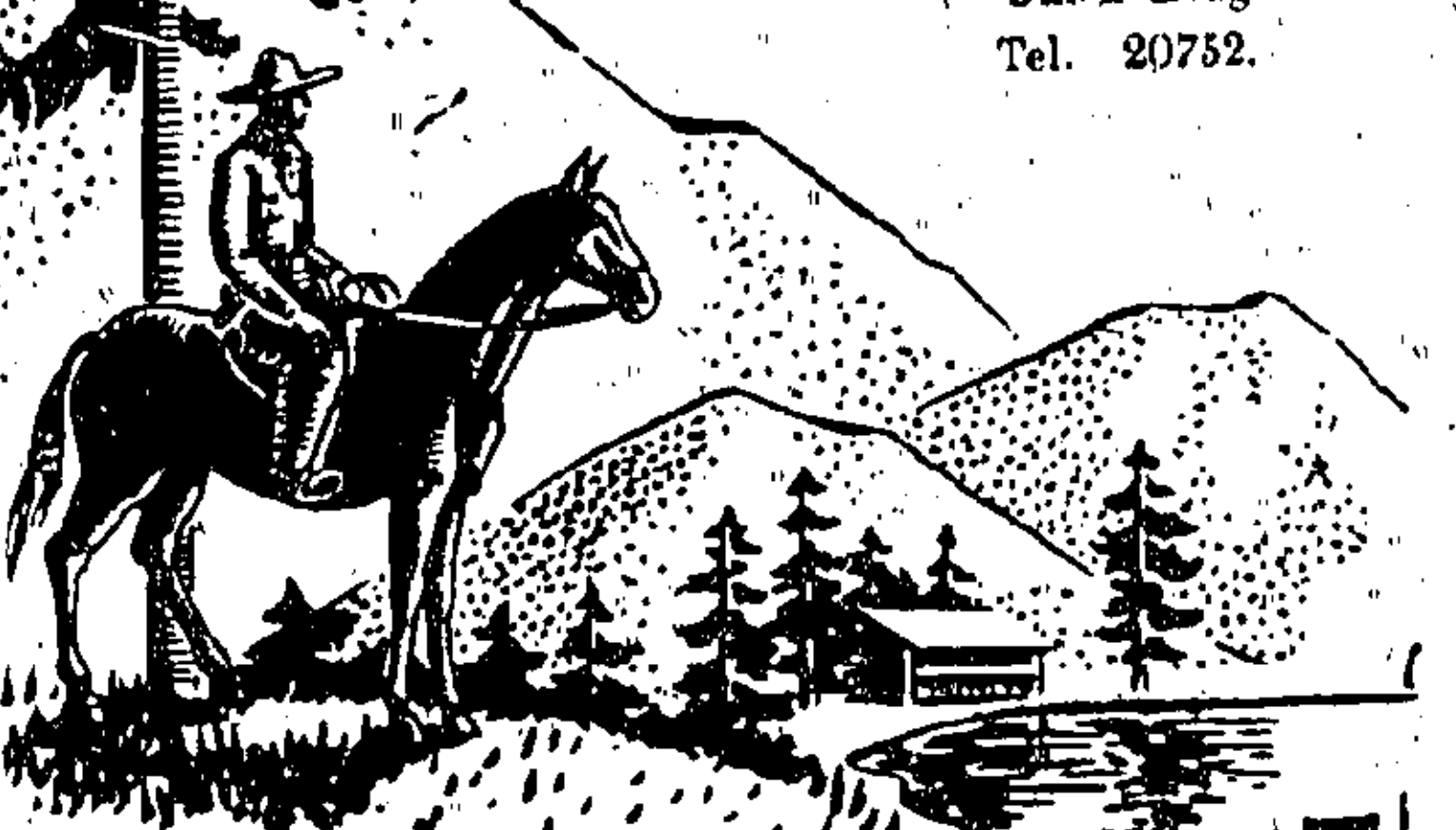
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* ATAGO MARU (from Kobe) 25th Feb.

NEW YORK via Panama.

* NAKO MARU 8th Feb.

LONDON, MARSEILLES, NAPLES via Suez.

HARUNA MARU 30th Jan.
 KATORI MARU 11th Feb.
 YASUKUNI MARU 24th Feb.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila, Davao, Thursday Island, Brisbane.

KAMO MARU 25th Feb.

SYDNEY and MELBOURNE via Saigon, Madang, Salamata, Rabaul.

M.V. NEPTUNA 11th Feb.

BOMBAY via Singapore & Colombo.

TANGO MARU 8th Feb.

RANGOON & CALCUTTA via Singapore.

TOBA MARU 9th Feb.

KOBE AND YOKOHAMA

HAKONE MARU (via Kiang & Shanghai) 10th Feb.

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SHIPPING

DUE TO-DAY

Grete Maersk, Danish, 4,097 registered tons, Capt. Andersen, from U.S.A., Japan and S'hai, a.m., at Kowloon Wharf.—Jensen & Co. (Tel. 31205).

Tai Yuan, British, 2,100 registered tons, Capt. J. D. Fraser, from Shanghai and Swatow, at buoy No. B?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Kwangtung, British, 1,572 registered tons, Capt. J. R. Nisbet, from Haiphong, Pakhoi and Hoihow, at buoy No. B?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

E Sang, British, 2,055 registered tons, Captain S. Schofield, from Haiphong, Pakhoi and Hoihow, a.m., at buoy No. B?—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Haruna Maru, Japanese, 6,311 registered tons, Capt. S. J. Barden, from Japan and S'hai, a.m., at buoy No. A?—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

Anshun, British, 1,869 registered tons, Captain C. P. Miller, from Straits, at buoy No. B?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Jean Dupuis, French, 388 registered tons, Captain Lavalley, from Haiphong and K.C. Wan, at buoy No. B?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

DUE TO-MORROW

Nellore, British, 4,291 registered tons, Captain C. Stratford, from Mofl, a.m., at K'loon Wharf.—M.M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Glennear, British, from Europe via Straits, a.m., at Holt's Wharf.—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Santhia, British, 4,841 registered tons, Captain R. Redwood, from Calcutta and Straits, a.m., at Kowloon Wharf.—M.M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Emaeus, British, 4,711 registered tons, Captain Watson, from North Continental ports via Straits at a.m., at Holt's Wharf.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Taihybus, British, 6,492 registered tons, Captain Purkies, from Seattle via Japan, a.m., at buoy No. A?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Felpling, Swedish, 3,835 registered tons, Capt. R. W. Ahlberg, from Japan and S'hai, a.m., at buoy No. A?—Gillman & Co. (Tel. 30968).

Van Heuts, Dutch, 2,749 registered tons, Captain Vos, from Amoy, p.m., at buoy No. A?—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

Hellas, Norwegian, 1,114 registered tons, Capt. J. L. A. Nilsen, from Bangkok and Swatow, a.m., at buoy No. B?—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30237).

Helikon, British, 1,220 registered tons, Captain W. Anderson, from Saigon, a.m., at buoy No. B?—Wo Fat Sing. (Tel. 20005).

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

Kowloon Bay—Inviken, Yolande Berlin.

Laichikok—Wing Wo.
 West Point Wharf—Wing Sang.
 Talkoo Sugar R. Wharf.—Tjisalak.

Kowloon Wharf.—Tjisalak.
 Yaumati—Alice Moller.

DOCKS

Talkoo—Penhang (new vessel), Isman, Silveryew, Paz.

Kowloon—Tegelberg, Greystoke Castle, Emp. of Asia.
 Cosmopolitan Dock—Hiram.

BUOYS

No. A 8—Dagmar Salen.
 No. B 3—Klungchow.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Tai Poo Sek, French, 1,219 registered tons, Captain J. Bonnamour, from K.C. Wan, at buoy No. B?—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

Tjisalak, Dutch, 3,614 registered tons, Captain J. Keuning, from Amoy, at Kowloon Wharf.—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

Shun Chih, British, 1,173 registered tons, Captain W. Lee, from Swatow, at B11—Wo Fat Sing. (Tel. 20005).

Klungchow, British, 1,545 registered tons, Captain J. Hodgkiss, from Shanghai and Amoy, at buoy No. B3—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Dagmar Salen, Swedish, 3,724 registered tons, Capt. A. R. Linder, from Bangkok, at buoy No. A8—Wallem & Co. (Tel. 21876).

Wing Sang, British, 1,953 registered tons, Capt. S. J. Barden, from Tientsin, Shanghai and Swatow, at West Point Wharf.—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Patroclus, British, 6,910 registered tons, Captain W. McLure, from London and Straits, at Holt's Wharf.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

ARRIVED SATURDAY

Canton Maru, Japanese, 1,847 registered tons, Capt. Suzuki, from Keelung, at O.S.K. Wharf.—O.S.K. (Tel. 28051).

Mau Sang, British, 2,063 registered tons, Captain P. Jowitt, from Sandakan, at buoy No. B22—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Roseville, Norwegian, 3,507 registered tons, Captain Balstad, from Manila, at buoy No. A5—Bank Line. (Tel. 27791).

Emp. of Canada, British, 12,811 registered tons, Capt. W. T. Kinley, from Vancouver, Japan and Shanghai, at Kowloon Wharf.—C.P.S. (Tel. 20752).

Tjisalak, Dutch, 4,394 registered tons, Capt. Van Nyys, from Java and Muntok, at buoy No. A2—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

Michael Jensen, Danish, 1,343 registered tons, Capt. R. Nielsen, from Hoihow, at buoy No. B10—Chin Seng Hong. (Tel. 25291).

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 registered tons, Captain I. D. de Lemos, from K.C. Wan, at Salkong Wharf to Laichikok.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

Norviken, Norwegian, 1,779 registered tons, Captain P. Woxholt, from Hoihow, at buoy No. B5—Chin Seng Hong. (Tel. 25291).

Yolande Berlin, French, 2,839 registered tons, Capt. G. Ulvik, from Port Parveval, at Kowloon Bay—Wallem & Co. (Tel. 21876).

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

The s.s. Santhia (B.I. & Apar) left Singapore for this port on the 28th instant, p.m., and is due here on the 31st instant, p.m.

The s.s. Nellore (E. & A.) left Kobe for this port on the 25th instant, p.m., and is due here on the 31st instant at about p.m. She will leave for Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne and Hobart on or about Friday, February 3 at 11 a.m.

No. B 8—Ming Sang.
 No. B17—Pronto.
 No. B10—Michael Jensen.
 No. B22—Mau Sang.
 No. C 1—Canton.

SAILING TO-DAY

Patroclus, British, 6,910 registered tons, Capt. W. McLure, from Holt's Wharf, for Shanghai and Japan, 6 a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Dagmar Salen, Swedish, 3,724 registered tons, Capt. A. R. Linder, from buoy No. A8, for Manila, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Portland, p.m.—Wallem & Co. (Tel. 21876).

Haruna Maru, Japanese, 6,311 registered tons, Captain Watanabe, from buoy No. A7, for Straits and Europe, p.m.—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 registered tons, Capt. I. D. de Lemos, from Laichikok, for K.C. Wan, 4 p.m.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

Canton, French, 976 registered tons, Captain Charlot, from buoy No. C1, for H'phong, 4 p.m.—M.M. (Tel. 26651).

Ming Sang, British, from buoy No. B8, for Shanghai, Chefoo and Tientsin, noon.—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

SAILING TO-MORROW

Tjisalak, Dutch, 4,394 registered tons, Capt. J. van Nuyss, from Talkoo Sugar R. Wharf, for Amoy and S'hai, a.m.—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

Tai Poo Sek, French, 1,219 registered tons, Capt. J. Bonnamour, from buoy No. B? for K.C. Wan, 4 p.m.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

Tjisalak, Dutch, 3,614 registered tons, Captain J. Keuning, from buoy No. A? for Batavia, a.m.—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

Anshun, British, 1,869 registered tons, Capt. C. P. Miller, from buoy No. B? for Swatow, 3 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Klungchow, British, 1,545 registered tons, Capt. J. Hodgkiss, from buoy No. B? for Hoihow, Pakhoi and H'phong, 4 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Jean Dupuis, French, 388 registered tons, Captain Lavalley, from buoy No. B? for K.C. Wan and H'phong, 4 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Tai Yuan, British, 2,100 registered tons, Capt. J. D. Fraser, from buoy No. B? for Chuanchow, Amoy and S'hai, 5 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

SAILED YESTERDAY

Kaigan, for Swatow.
 Hoihow, for Swatow.
 Tbilisi, for Batoum.

Lycemoon, for Swatow.
 Roseville, for Los Angeles.
 Tai Seun Hong, for Haiphong.

Hal Ching, for Swatow.
 Soochow, for Swatow.
 K'wai Sang, for Swatow.

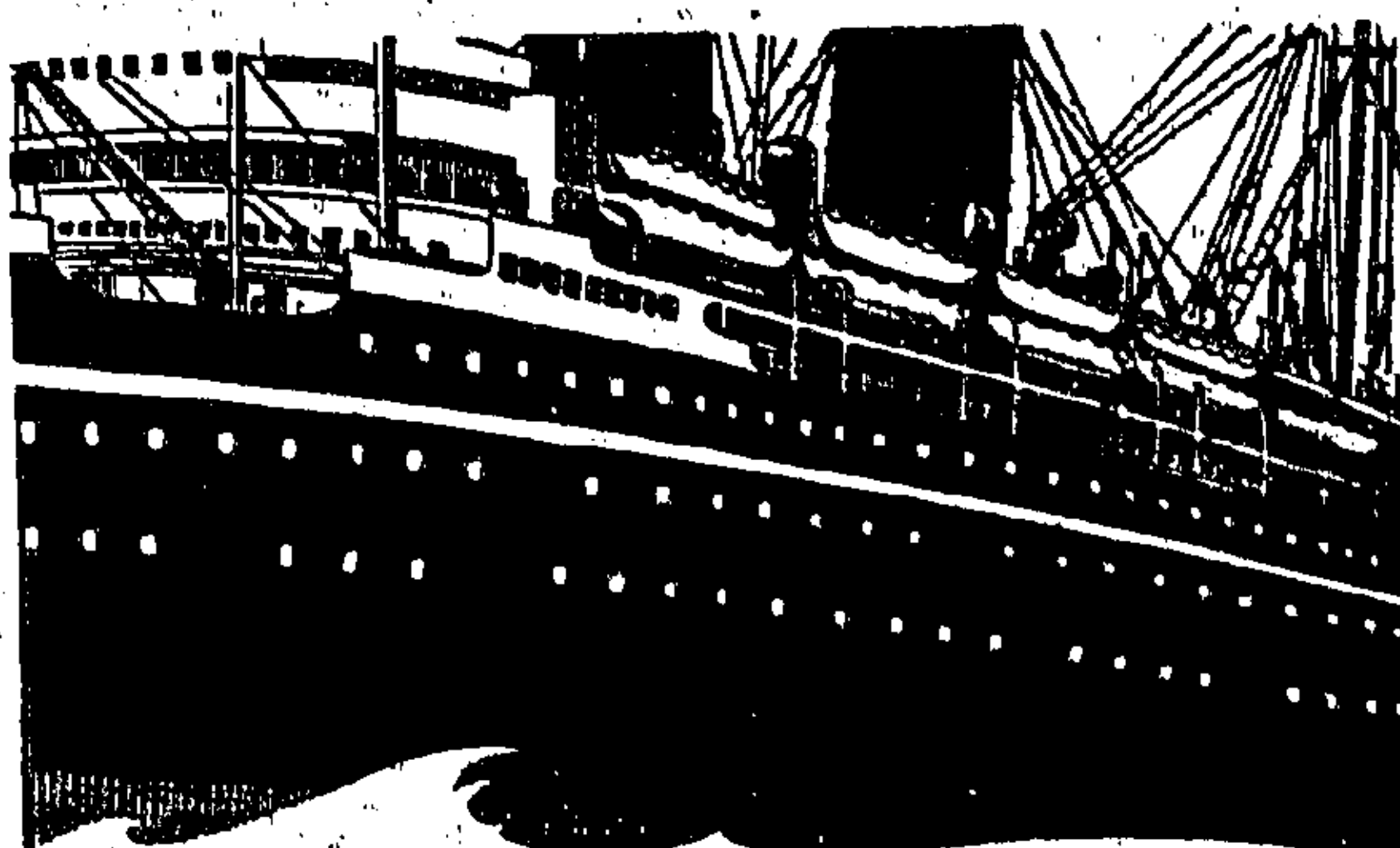
Shun Chih, for Saigon.
 Norviken, for Swatow.

SAILED SATURDAY

Vitorlock, for Singapore.
 Pres. Pierce, for Kobe.

Yuen Sang, for Singapore.
 Foch, for Samarinda.
 Shantung, for K.C. Wan.

Emp. of Canada, for Manila.
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| TALMA | 10,000 | 11th Mar. | |
| SIRIHANA | 10,000 | 25th Mar. | |
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|-----------|-------|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| NELLORE | 7,000 | 3rd Feb. 11 a.m. | Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane |
| TANDA | 7,000 | 4th Mar. | Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart |
| NANKIN | 7,000 | 1st Apr. | |

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

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|------------|--------|-----------------------|------------------|
| SANTHIA | 8,000 | 2nd Feb. 7 a.m. | Japan |
| RANPURA | 17,000 | 3rd Feb. Noon | Shanghai & Japan |
| TANDA | 7,000 | 3rd Feb. | Shanghai & Japan |
| TALMA | 10,000 | 16th Feb. | Shanghai & Japan |
| RAWALPINDI | 17,000 | 17th Feb. | do. |
| BURDWAN | 6,000 | 18th Feb. | do. |
| SIRIHANA | 10,000 | 2nd Mar. | Japan |
| CANTON | 18,000 | 3rd Mar. | Shanghai & Japan |
| SHIRALA | 6,000 | 16th Mar. | Japan |
| GOBPU | 14,500 | 17th Mar. | Shanghai & Japan |
| SCHITRAL | 15,500 | 18th Mar. | do. |
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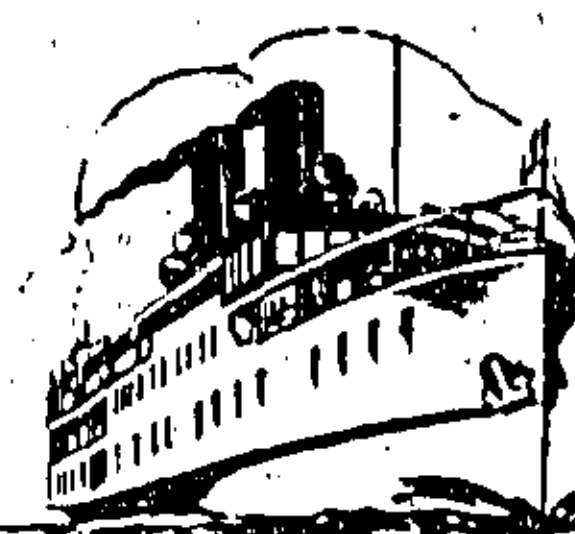
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SAILING RACE RESULTS

Royal Navy Again Beat The Army

The Royal Navy once again defeated the Army in a sailing race yesterday this time winning by 118 points to 95. On November 20, the Navy beat the Army by 117 points to 95.

At yesterday's race the Navy led 63-43 at the end of the morning while in the afternoon the teams ended up with 53 points each. Officers of the day were Captain Barry, R.N., and Col. Gowlland. The Army team were the guests of the Navy team at lunch on board H.M.S. Tamar.

Detailed results were as follows:

MORNING RACE

| Army | Pts. |
|--|------|
| A2, Major Bader (Cdr. Johnstone) | 12 |
| A5, A. O. G. Mills (Lt. Medd) | 10 |
| A7, F. C. J. Smith (Mrs. Johnstone) | 3 |
| A9, R. W. C. Smales (Lt. Cdr. Rimington) | 6 |
| A11, Col. Gowlland (Captain Barry) | 1 |
| A17, Northcote (Lt. Martin) | 4 |
| A19, Captain MacMillan (Pay. Mid. Glennie) | 7 |
| Total | 43 |

Navy

| Navy | Pts. |
|---|------|
| A4, Lieut.-Comdr. Hall (Major Nottingham) | 8 |
| A6, Lt.-Comdr. Luce (Captain Wilkinson) | 15 |
| A8, Lt. Edmonds (Capt. Drew Wilkinson) | 13 |
| A10, Lieut. McDonald (Major Del Court) | 9 |
| A14, Lt. Stanley (Maj. Morris) | 2 |
| A15, Lt.-Comdr. Sprague (Maj. Yale) | 5 |
| A20, Lieut. Whitworth (Major Dobbs) | 11 |
| Total | 63 |

AFTERNOON RACE

| Navy | Pts. |
|--|------|
| A2, Comdr. Johnstone (Major Bader) | 11 |
| A5, Lt. Medd (A. O. G. Mills) | 12 |
| A7, Pay. Lt. Spittle (F. C. J. Smith) | 10 |
| A9, Lt.-Comdr. Rimington (R. W. C. Smales) | 2 |
| A11, Capt. Barry (Col. Gowlland) | 7 |
| A17, Lt. O'Sullivan (Captain Northcote) | 6 |
| A19, Mid. Murray (Capt. MacMillan) | 5 |
| Total | 53 |

Army

| Army | Pts. |
|--|------|
| A4, Major Nottingham (Lt.-Comdr. Hall) | 3 |
| A6, Capt. Wilkinson (Lt.-Comdr. Luce) | 15 |
| A8, Captain Drew Wilkinson (Rev. Williams) | 8 |
| A14, Major Morris (Lieut. McDonald) | 13 |
| A14, Major Morris (Lt. Stanley) | 1 |
| A15, Major Yale (Lt.-Comdr. Sprague) | 4 |
| A20, Major Dobbs (Lieut. Whitworth) | 9 |
| Total | 53 |

Morning Race

43

Grand Total

118

HUTTON, GIBB BAT WELL

JOHANNESBURG, Jan. 28 (Reuter)—England's Yorkshire opening pair, Len Hutton and P. A. Gibb, gave the tourists a good start in the match with Combined Transvaal here to-day.

Combined Transvaal scored 304 in their first innings, Mitchell bagging 83.

To this total, Hutton and Gibb replied by scoring 74 without being separated. Hutton is 50 not out and Gibb 23 not out. Reuter.

SHEFFIELD SHIELD

SYDNEY, Jan. 28 (Reuter)—Scores in the Sheffield Shield match here are as follows: New South Wales 120, Victoria 176 for 2.

RELIEF BILL AMENDMENT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28 (Reuter)—The Administration suffered defeat yesterday when the Senate rejected the Government amendment to the Relief Bill.

The amendment proposed that the Relief Bill should be increased to \$875,000,000 instead of \$725,000,000.

M'SEX FAIL TO CLINCH EXCELLENT START

Kwong Wah's Last Minute Goal Gives Share Of Points

WONG KING-CHUNG'S last minute goal forced Middlesex to share points with Kwong Wah in their senior division league encounter at Sookunpoo on Saturday with three goals apiece. Middlesex after a fine start of two clear goals ahead of their opponents, allowed the Chinese to equalize, then the Army forged ahead again only to let their opponents draw level just before full time.

Saw played a grand game in the Middlesex forward line and netted a beautiful goal. Marable on his wing was very clever, and his cross shots gave the Army side many opportunities to score. Kwong Wah's defence was ably supported by Hou Yung-sang and Chung Tai-lam, both of whom had a big hand in defeating Navy in the Lal Wah Cup competition last Saturday.

The three inside forwards played a fine game but they were a fraction of a second too slow in scoring—first timers would have found Middlesex beaten.

MIDDLESEX START WELL
Middlesex swept up the field soon after the whistle went. Marable, bringing the ball along the line, sent over a fine centre for Saw to test Lee.

Rallying again, the Soldiers had the ball over the left wing. Pearson, centring, saw Courtney send a fine header home for the opening goal.

Pearson came into the limelight again when he ran through the Chinese defence and shot. In an effort to save the situation, when the goal was beaten, one of the defence handled the ball. The spot-kick was netted by Pearson. At half time Middlesex were two goals in the lead.

After the interval Kwong Wah settled down to serious play. Chun Chi-fun reduced arrears after beating Jackson with a fine drive. Cheuk Shek-kam put the Chinese level.

Middlesex re-doubled their efforts and were rewarded by Saw's fine effort. Towards the close of play Wong King-chung netted and the final score remained three goals each.

KOWLOON AVENGE DEFEAT

Kowloon avenged their defeat at the hands of St. Joseph's in the first round of the Senior league by defeating the latter by the odd goal in three.

Fielding their strongest team this season, the Mainlanders made sure that they would not let the Saints repeat their success and after a closely contested game emerged the winners.

As usual all honours went to the forward line though the defence gave a supporting hand. Pat Jorge excelled, and proved a constant menace to the opposition. Honnibal paved the way for many openings.

LADIES HOCKEY RESULTS

The following were the results of the ladies' hockey matches on Saturday:

CAER CLARK CUP
St. Andrew's (F. Wong, J. Wong, A. Grieves, P. Gittins) 4, Central British School (P. Turnbull) 1.

"Y" Ladies (M. Smith, 3) 3, Central British Association 0.

BROWN CUP
Diocesan Girls' School (V. Churn) 1, St. Andrew's 0.

Recreo "B" 0, Central British Association 0.

Recreo "A" (M. Roza, 2; A. Alves) 3, Central British School (A. Smith) 1.

Seaford Ladies (Mrs. Akroyd) 1, "Y" Ladies (V. Bradbury) 1.

T. T. HOCKEY GAME ON WEDNESDAY

The Triangular Tournament match between Army and the Club, originally arranged to be played at Sookunpoo on Wednesday February 8, will now be played at Sookunpoo on Wednesday February 1, 11.45 a.m.

The following are the teams:
Army—Pte. Osman (R. A. O. C.), L/Bdr. Carter (R.A.) and Rfm. Badda Ram (Rajput); L/Sgt. Fraser (R. Scouts), Lt. Hook (R.A.) and Capt. Hunt (R. A.) (Captain); Hav. Shawwall (Rajput), Lt. Indar Singh (Rajput), Lt. Pritam Nath (Rajput), L/Nk Meran Singh (Kumaon) and Rfm. Pataub Singh (Kumaon).

Club—V. M. Benwell; W. G. Sch-nabel and E. V. Reed; H. J. D. Lowe, W. A. Reed and N. B. Whitley; S. A. Fowler, T. D. Whitley, G. E. R. D-vett (Capt.), B. I. Bickford and V. C. Bond.

POLICE WIN BY ODD GOAL

Scots' Custodian Badly Winded

In their Senior League football encounter with the Royal Scots at Boundary Road yesterday, the Police won by two goals to one.

Hossack scored for the Scots in the first half, when the game was alternately carried from one end of the field to the other and Pike, replacing Moss in goal, was kept busy.

Howlett headed in the equaliser for the Police from a pass by Wong Man-kwai, running into the goal and falling on Duncan, who was badly winded and had to be helped off the field.

The Scots continued with one man short. Marshall, who played at centre-half prior to Howlett's collision with Duncan, has had some experience as goal-keeper in inter-company football and he played his part nobly making a few good saves. The Police, turned in the winning goal from a pass by Howlett.

The teams were as follows:—
Police:—Pike, Parker, Chen Kwong-yu, Yang Kwai-chol, Brittain, North; Wong Man-kwai, Gordon, Johnston, Howlett, and Kong Hing.

Royal Scots:—Duncan, Fraser, Adamson, McDonald, Marshall, Clark, Munroe, Flemming, Hossack, Allan, and Holmes.

SCOTS' EASY WIN

In the Second Division encounter, the Royal Scots defeated Police by seven goals to one. Scorers for the Scots were Keane, Williamson, Callaghan (two each) and Fraser. Taylor netted for the Police.

SOUTH CHINA "B" WIN FIVE-NIL

South China "B" seem to have benefited much from their recent tour and defeated Club in their senior division league encounter on Saturday by five goals to nil.

Club lost the services of Fowler in the forward line. Bickford on the wing did not fare well, while Strange, though doing Trojan work, was not supported.

South China had an easy time and opened scoring soon after the commencement. Lau Chung-sang netted from a rebound.

Yung Shui-yick cut in from the wing and made no mistake with his shot, at half time the score was two goals to nil.

Chan Tak-fai added the third goal soon after the interval with Au Sze-ngok scoring from a penalty kick.

The fifth goal was netted by Yung Shui-yick and the final score was five clear goals for South China "B."

THIRD DIVISION MATCHES

Third division games resulted as follows:—

"A" Section
Electric beat 5th A.A. Regiment 2-0. Peers and Chan Man scored.

"B" Section
24th Evy. Bty. beat R.A.F. 2-1. Atkins and Hodgson scored for the winners; Moore for the losers.

Engineers beat R.A.M.C. 1-0. Pike scored.

FOREIGN MAILS

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Registered and Ordinary mail (not insured or parcels) will be accepted for Canton and despatched as circumstances permit.

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| Japan | Buenos Aires | 30th Jan. |
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| Japan and Shanghai | Eumaeus | 31st Jan. |
| Cebu and Straits | Talhybus | 31st Jan. |
| Japan | Santhia | 31st Jan. |
| Shanghai and Swatow | Nellore | 31st Jan. |
| Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 25th Jan. | Szechuen | 31st Jan. |
| Japan and Shanghai | Imperial Airways Plane | 1st Feb. |
| Cebu and Straits | Lahore | 1st Feb. |
| Straits and Europe via, Suez (Papers etc.)—London date, 5th January and London parcels—London date, 29th Dec. | Sulung | 2nd Feb. |
| U.S.A., Honolulu and Japan—(San Francisco date, 7th January) | Ranpura | 2nd Feb. |
| Australia and Manila | Pres. Hayes | 2nd Feb. |
| Manila | Tanda | 2nd Feb. |
| Shanghai | Emp. of Canada | 2nd Feb. |
| U.S.A., Honolulu Japan & Shanghai (San Francisco date, 13th Jan.) | Conte Verde | 3rd Feb. |
| Japan and Shanghai | Pres. Coolidge | 3rd Feb. |
| Japan | Rajputana | 3rd Feb. |
| Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 28th January. | Africa Maru | 3rd Feb. |
| Tientsin and Swatow | Imperial Airways Plane | 4th Feb. |
| Japan and Shanghai | Hupei | 6th Feb. |
| Salgon | Felix Roussel | 6th Feb. |
| Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 1st February | Athos | 8th Feb. |
| Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B. C. date, 21st January) | Pan American Airways plane | 8th Feb. |
| | Emp. of Russia | 9th Feb. |

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| MONDAY | | |
| Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 12th February. | Haruna Maru | Monday 30th. G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.30 AM Ord. 10.00 AM |
| Salgon Straits, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 28th February. | Haruna Maru | G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.45 AM Ord. 10.30 AM |
| Shanghai and Tientsin | Mingsang | 10.30 AM |
| Formosa and Amoy | Canton Maru | 10.30 AM |
| Haiphong | Canton | 2.00 PM |
| | | K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM |
| Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 6th February. | Imperial Airways Plane | G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM |
| Airmail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 6th February. | Imperial Airways Plane | K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM |
| TUESDAY | | |
| Batavia | Tjimalak | Tuesday, 31st. 10.30 AM |
| Swatow | Anshun | 1.30 PM |
| Holhow and Pakhol | Klungchow | 2.00 PM |
| Fort Bayard and Haiphong | Jean Dupuis | 2.00 PM |
| Parcels and Papers only for South Africa via Durban | Buenos Aires | 2.30 PM |
| Chuanchow | Taiyuan | 2.30 PM |
| Amoy | Tjisroes | 4.00 PM |
| WEDNESDAY | | |
| Swatow, Shanghai and Tientsin | Esang | Wed. 1st Feb. 10.30 AM |
| THURSDAY | | |
| Manila, Bangkok, Batavia, Mauritius, Reunion and Madagascar, Haiphong | Tegelberg Wingsang | Thurs. 2nd. 3.30 PM 4.00 PM |
| | | K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM |
| Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 8th February. | Imperial Airways Plane | G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM |
| Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Australia by Imperial Airways Direct Service—due Sydney, 11th Feb. | Imperial Airways Plane | K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM |
| FRIDAY | | |
| Parcels only for Japan | Suisang | Fri. 3rd. 10.30 AM |
| Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane—20th February. | Nellore | G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 2nd 5.00 PM Reg. 3rd 8.45 AM Ord. 3rd 9.30 AM |
| Swatow | Kingyuan | 9.30 AM |
| Shanghai, Japan and Europe (except Great Britain and Eire) via Siberia | Ranpura | 10.30 AM |
| Fort Bayard, Holhow and Haiphong Mombasa, Belra, Lourenco Marques and (Parcels and Papers only for South Africa via Durban) | Sulyang | Noon |
| Brindisi—due Brindisi 24th Feb. | Africa Maru | 2.30 PM |
| Manila | Conte Verde | 2.30 PM |
| | Pres. Coolidge | 7.00 PM |
| SATURDAY | | |
| Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 14th February | Rajputana | Sat. 4th. G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 8.30 AM Ord. 10.00 AM |

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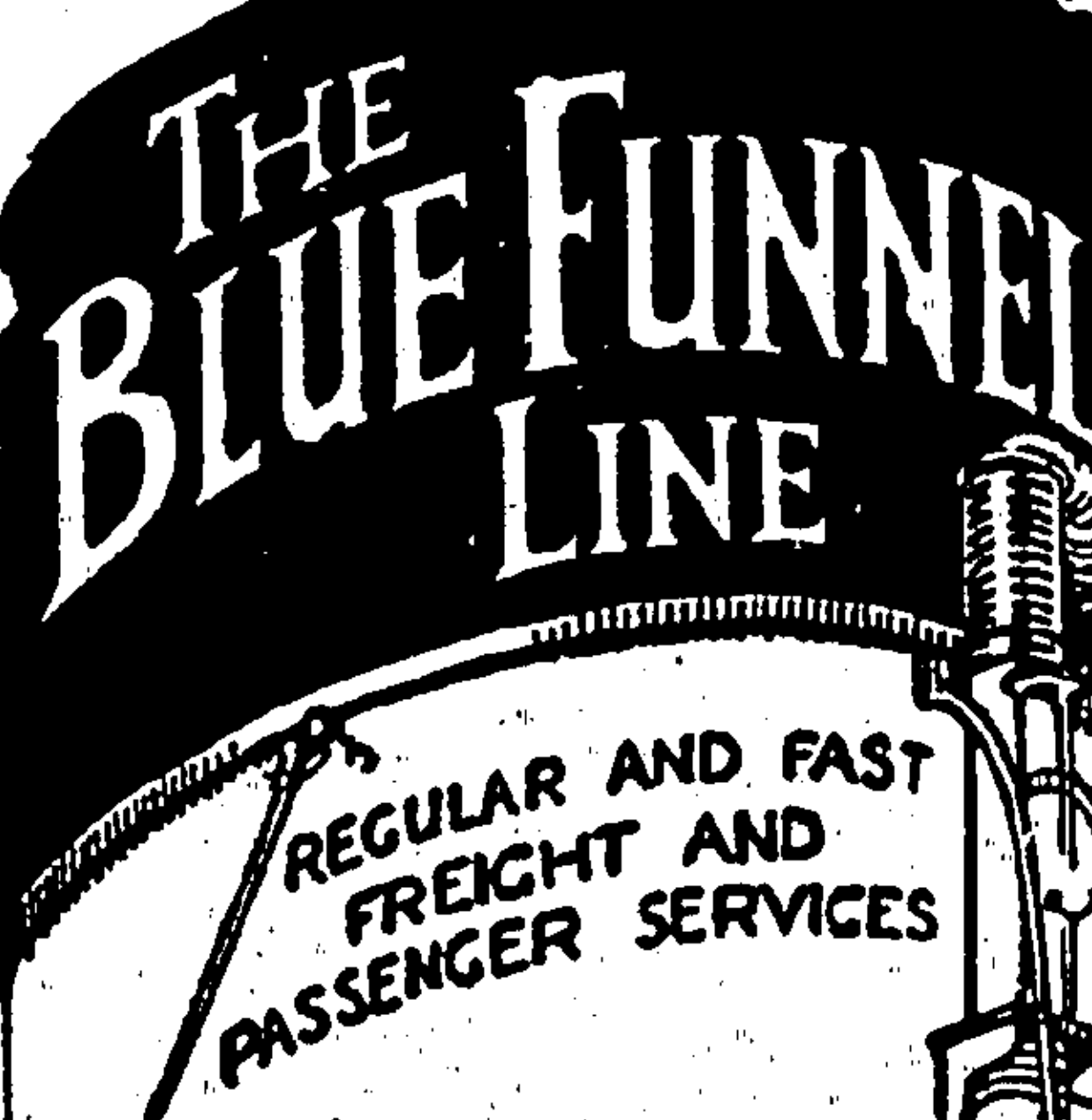
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